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GERMAN CABINET MEMBER SHOT

Russian Soviet Organizations Strong Enough To Fight The World, Martens Tells Probers

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 26.—Russian soviet organizations have become "strong enough to fight the world," Ludwig C. A. E. Martens, soviet agent in the United States, told a senate investigating committee today. Because of this, he said, the soviet have ceased to urge international revolution to support them.

The Russian soviet have "between \$150,000,000 and \$300,000,000" in the public treasury, Martens said, which it was now desired to spend in foreign countries on the purchase of necessities. There was now no gold in the hands of private banks or individuals in Russia, he added.

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MINERS STRIKE AS PROTEST ON BILL

PITTSBURGH, KANSAS, Jan. 25.—Four hundred Kansas miners struck this morning because of the passage of the industrial court bill. A strike of the Western Coal and Mining Company at Franklin, and a mine of the Weir Coal Company, at Dunkirk, were idle.

Lake Steamers Stuck In Ice

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Six men who tried to reach the steamer, Sidney O. Neff, stuck in the ice four miles out in Lake Michigan, were rescued today. The steamer, which was en route to the Gulf of Mexico, was stuck in the ice. The crew of 50, was fast in the ice banks, and the ship was unable to move.

For the first time in a week, however, the wind today had shifted to the north, and it was hoped ice breaking tugs could release the small Neff with its crew of eight tomorrow. It was believed the shifting ice would permit the steamer to crush her way to port. Captain O. T. Olson, skipper of the Neff, C. A. Anderson, a seafaring friend, and four members of the Neff's crew, Amund Stenrud, a Norwegian, George Duncan, and Paulus Hansen, a Swede, and Conrad Carmody, an American, were the men reported missing today. The five men from the boat had made their way to the shore, but were returning to the Neff as it was not believed they would be rescued by the ice.

The look-out at the four-mile mark, reported that a careful watch all day yesterday failed to reveal the men nearing the ship, which lay within easy range of his glasses. Rescue parties failed to find their trail in the snow.

'Bolshevism Has No Appeal To The Turks Being Contrary To Religion And Patriotism'

CONSTANTINOPLE, January 25.—Bolshevism has no appeal to the Turks, being contrary to their religious, national and patriotic sentiment, says Mustafa Kemal Pasha, political and military leader of the Turkish nationalist movement in Asia Minor. Recently there have been reports that the Bolsheviks have made inroads in Turkish Asia Minor, and that Enver Pasha, minister of war here in 1914, has sponsored a Bolshevik uprising in Kurdistan.

Mustafa Kemal denied his adherence to the nationalist cause were learned with Enver Pasha or with Talat Pasha, former grand vizier, who is reported to have been converted to Bolshevism. Bolshevism might result, however, from a peace which makes the Turks a subject people, he asserted, but he added that such an alliance with the soviet power would be but temporary.

Bloodshed would follow a peace settlement which placed Greece in control of this city, he said, and the giving of Thrace to Greece would have the same result.

"Bolshevism is against every national ideal that we cherish," he said, "and if a peace is made for us that will help us to maintain our ideals, we shall rise from the ruins which are the result of too many wars. Of course if the allies force a peace on us that furthers the destruction of our land it is difficult to predict what will happen. Our people might make some sort of temporary alliance with the Bolsheviks, but Bolshevik they will never be at heart. Their religion and their patriotism will save them from it."

"It is true that Enver Pasha appears to be co-operating with the Bolsheviks in order that he may establish an independent Moslem power in Turkey, affiliated with the Moslem states of the Caspian Sea in Daghestan and Azerbaijan, but this is merely to get support against the British. There is no place left on earth for him to go to. He is somewhat in the same position as Lenin and Trotsky."



A young lady across the way says it is an age of combination though the girls still like the separate state.

COLD WAVE HITS NEW ENGLAND

BOSTON, Jan. 26.—The mercury was forced to new official low levels by the cold wave which spread over Northern New England last night. Northfield, Vermont, with a reading of 30 below, was the coldest place on the North American continent from which official reports were received by the weather bureau today.

JONAH OF MILLERAND'S SHIP OF STATE

The Jonah of Premier Millerand's ship of state is Jules Siegel, minister of the interior. He was friendly with Caillaux and Maury, enemies of the republic. Following his recent appointment he was bitterly denounced on the floor of the chamber of deputies. Millerand asked for a vote of confidence. He got it, but to show their disapproval of the appointment 300 deputies, more than half the total attendance, declined to vote at all.



Jules Siegel.

No Change In Reservations Acceptable

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 26.—No change in the reservations affecting Article 10 of the League of Nations Covenant, or the Monroe Doctrine provision of the peace treaty will be acceptable to the Republicans, Senator Lodge today informed Senator Hitchcock and other members of the informal Democratic committee, which had been conferring with Senator Lodge's committee in an effort to reach a compromise on the treaty.

Senator Lodge's statement was formulated after his conference Saturday with Senators Borah, of Idaho; Johnson, of California, and other Republican senators opposing the treaty.

Immediately after the statement was presented today, the bipartisan conference adjourned. Senator Hitchcock and his associates retiring for a private conference. They will make their reply to Senator Lodge tomorrow morning.

Senator Hitchcock later issued this statement:

"When the conference assembled Senator Lodge advised the senators present that he had been called into a meeting by certain Republican senators and for that reason had not been able to attend the last conference Friday."

He regretted to say that he found it impossible to resume the conference for a compromise except upon the understanding that no change shall be made in the reservation on Article 10 or on the Monroe doctrine. The Democratic members retired for a private conference and will make their reply to Senator Lodge Tuesday morning at a meeting at 10:30.

The conference up to the time its meetings were interrupted, had tentatively agreed upon the preamble and all sections of the reservations except that relating to Article 10, the Monroe doctrine and one of two minor matters and an agreement was apparently also consummated on Article 10 when adjournment suddenly came, followed by the intervention of the irreconcilable Republicans.

World's Debt Estimated At Two Hundred Billion Dollars

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The world's debt was estimated by the National City Bank today at \$200,000,000,000, compared with \$40,000,000,000 in 1914. Paper currency throughout the world increased 600 percent since 1914, while the gold reserve behind it increased only 40 percent, according to statistics compiled by the bank. The face value of paper currency of 20 principal countries, which totaled \$7,250,000,000 in 1914, had increased to \$40,000,000,000 at the time of the armistice and to \$50,000,000,000 in December, 1919, exclusive of \$44,000,000,000 issued by the Russian soviet government.

Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria show an advance in note circulation from \$1,200,000,000 in 1914 to \$12,300,000,000 at the close of the war and \$15,700,000 in December, 1919, the gold reserve falling from \$99,000,000 in 1914 to \$27,000,000 in 1919, the ratio of gold to notes declining from 43.7 percent in 1914 to 5.5 percent in December, 1919.

In the eight principal countries of the allies paper notes increased from \$1,100,000,000 in 1914 to \$2,120,000,000 in 1919, while the gold reserve increased from \$16,000,000 to \$1,450,000,000, a ratio of 41.3 in 1914, and 32.9 in 1919.

ABOLISHMENT OF 'PAUPER SCHOOL' IS PLANNED

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 26.—Definite plans for financing the common school system of Ohio in order to guarantee to every child equal opportunities for an education and to abolish the so-called "pauper school" will be laid before the legislature this week.

Representative R. R. Beetham, majority leader in the house, announced today that the house would take up the financial problem of the schools tomorrow evening, when the house would probably meet as a committee of the whole.

School authorities are called on the program of legislation so far as financing the schools is concerned, but are divided on the question of a tenure of office bill.

Cleveland and Cincinnati teachers are still insisting on the passage of the Wrenner tenure bill, which is held up in the schools committee in the senate. The legislative committee of the state teachers' association opposes this bill and is devoting its entire time to pushing the revenue measures.

The revenue bill provides:

1. A statewide school tax of one and seven-tenths mills, estimated to raise approximately \$17,000,000, or enough to pay 50 percent of the salaries of teachers.
2. A county educational fund, provided for by a levy of one mill, additional, the proceeds of which would be held in the counties.
3. Distribution of the combined state and county funds to the local school districts to be on the basis of \$300 to \$400 for each teacher necessary, and the rest according to aggregate days of school attendance.

The remainder of the funds necessary in local districts to pay tuition expenses, together with contingent, building and sinking funds to be provided by local levies not to exceed three mills.

A graduated minimum salary schedule bill for teachers fixing the lowest salary at \$500 is to follow the revenue bill.

Both the senate and house are to meet at 5 o'clock this evening. An effort will be made to complete the tax-allocation program this week and then recess until April.

On Trial For Shooting Policeman
CLEVELAND, Jan. 26.—Carl Irwin, accused of killing Police Sergeant William Isaac, went on trial today. He was the second alleged slayer of a policeman to stand trial within a fortnight. John Platky was taken to the penitentiary Thursday to serve a life sentence for the murder of Policeman Robert Shelton.

HARBONE'S MEDITATIONS

DE MAN WHUT BIN KEEPIN' DE LODGE MONEY FUN US DONE DIS-PEARED, EN DE PASHON WANTED KNOW IS HE SHAWT ENNY MONEY BUT LAW, NO! HE AINT SHAWT!—WE'S DE ONES WHUT'S SHAWT!



SCULLION BECOMES KING



Enver Pasha, former Turkish minister of war, has been crowned king of Kurdistan, the Turkish region lying between Mesopotamia and Persia. He started in life as a scullion in the kitchens of the late Imperial Prince Suleiman Effendi, brother of Abdul Hamid.

AMBASSADORS TAKE UP WORK OF SUPREME PEACE COUNCIL

PARIS, Jan. 26.—The reply to the refusal of the Dutch government to comply with the demand of the allies for the surrender of Emperor William, was the first subject discussed today at the initial meeting of the council of the ambassadors, created to carry on the unfinished routine work of the supreme council of the peace conference, which disbanded last week. It was decided that the French legal experts available should go into all the aspects of the case and prepare the reply, which probably will be submitted for approval of the council next week.

The discussion in the council did not disclose the trend of opinion among the members further than it appeared to be the view that the legal phase of the question had become the chief one.

The council was presided over by Premier Millerand. Hugh C. Wallace, the American ambassador, was present, with the other members of the body. After disposing for the day of the extradition question, the council decided to give the representatives of the Jugoslavians four days additional time to reply regarding the proposed compromise on the Adriatic question, including the disposition of Fiume. This carries the question along until Wednesday.

The council received a letter from Stanislas Piatek, Polish minister of foreign affairs, calling attention to the possibility of a strong aggressive movement by the Bolsheviks against Polish territory and recommending that a plan be adopted for defensive measures. The letter asked that the question be called to the attention of Marshal Foch.

The council also had before it a note from the German plenipotentiaries raising certain points regarding the make-up of the boundary commissions provided for by the treaty of Versailles. The questions were raised by the Germans because of the non-ratification of the treaty by the United States and the consequent lack of American members on the commissions as provided for by the peace document.

The absence of the Americans also raised a question as to the presidency of the commissions to control the plebiscite in the Teschen territory on the Czech-Slovak frontier. It was pointed out that the French member would act pending the qualification of the American member through the ratification of the pact, should such action be taken by the United States government.

OFFICE RETIRED OF BOMBS
NEW YORK—National council of administration of veterans of foreign wars passed resolution against return to America of bodies of soldier dead.

Erzberger Wounded By An Assassin

BERLIN, Jan. 26.—Mathias Erzberger, the minister of finance, was wounded by a shot fired at him today.

Erzberger was shot as he was leaving the criminal courts building after a hearing in the Hoffmeyer libel suit. Only one shot struck the minister, who was slightly wounded in the shoulder. His assailant, who gave his name as Ottavio Von Hirschfeld, was arrested.

OUTBREAKS IN ITALY; SCORE OF RIOTERS SHOT

FLORENCE, ITALY, Jan. 26.—During a meeting here today, at which the socialist, Enrico Malatesta, recently elected to the chamber of deputies, urged a revolution, a mob tried to overturn a party of carabinieri. The latter defending themselves, fired at the demonstrators, wounding a score of them.

SENATE VOTES \$500,000 TO COMBAT INFLUENZA

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 26.—A resolution carrying an appropriation of \$500,000, to be used by the public health service in combating influenza, was adopted today by the senate.

NEW SHELL FOR BRITISH NAVY

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The British navy may soon be given a new and "unprecedented" weapon in a large caliber shell which will place the heaviest armor without shattering, said Sir Robert Haldfield, chairman and managing director of Haldfield's Limited, steel manufacturers, recently. He indicated that possession of such a shell during the great war would have been of incalculable value to the British fleet.

"The feat has been accomplished," he said, "within the last few days of getting the largest calibre of armor piercing shell unbroken thru the thickest of modern hard-faced armor plate. This result will render the British gun unsurpassed, incomparable and the master in any naval engagements of the future."

U. S. Leads World In Crude Oil Production

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—The United States has produced more than 61 percent of the world's crude petroleum since the discovery of that product, and at latest reports was producing more than 60 percent of the world's annual supply. Compilation of production statistics just issued by the geological survey, shows that from 1877 to and including 1918, there were produced throughout the world 7,503,147,138 barrels of crude petroleum, of which the United States supplied 4,608,571,719 barrels. Russia furnished almost 23 percent. In the latest yearly statistics, those of 1918, the United States produced 35,927,716 barrels, while Mexico furnished more than 12 percent and Russia almost 6 percent.

OFFER REWARD TO SAVE SHIP

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 26.—The United States shipping board today offered a reward of \$10,000 to any vessel bringing in the disabled transport Powhatan, last reported adrift in a blinding storm 100 miles from this port. Eight vessels today were either standing by or going to her assistance.

HALIFAX, Jan. 26.—The disabled army transport Powhatan, which has been adrift since Saturday 100 miles from this port, is again in tow, according to wireless signals received here today. Two American tugs are bringing her to this port.

RESCUES WIFE AND CHILDREN

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 26.—Joseph Kosman was probably fatally burned this morning in rescuing his wife and five children from their home which was destroyed by fire. Awakened by smoke Kosman carried his wife down the burning stairs from the second floor to the street. Then he made two trips up stairs to rescue four of the children. When he made the third trip for the fifth child he found it impossible to get back to the stairway and jumped to the street. None of the children were injured.

SUICIDES ARE ON INCREASE

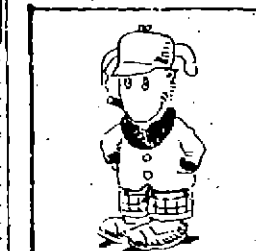
NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Since the signing of the armistice there has been a constantly increasing number of suicides every where, according to a report issued today by the Save-A-Life League.

In Germany, Russia, Syria and other foreign countries, where the number has been very large, the cause is attributed to despair because of intolerable living conditions brought about by the war.

The report tabulates 5121 cases of suicide in the United States during 1919. Of the professions lawyers led the list with 43, of whom 12 were judges; 26 victims were physicians; 25 teachers and 11 clergymen. The list included 20 presidents of large business concerns and 30 prominent club members, millionaires and wealthy society women. Unhappy marital relations were responsible for 350 tragedies.

Men outnumbered women 267 to 1507, but of the child suicides 232 were girls and 225 boys. Newspaper editors appeared to be immune.

BILLY-BUT-TH



O' course there were a lot of folks worried about the river, despite the assurances of Yours Truly and the river doctors that there would be no flood. But the river has again been stopped on one of its periodical rampages and John boats and cars have been abandoned for the present at least. Here's for tomorrow:

OTTO—Ready and probably never to rain late tonight or Tuesday. Warm tonight. Warmer Tuesday in east and south portions.

The extreme low local temperature today were: High, 27; low, 18.

LYRIC

Today, Tomorrow and Wednesday

Adults 25c, Children 15c

Some girls are born vamps; some achieve the art others have it thrust upon them. Nellie's came all three ways.



Constance Talmadge

"A VIRTUOUS VAMP"

Starring John Emerson and Anita Loos
Produced by John S. Robertson

Have you ever been 'Vamped? If you have, you know how it feels. If you haven't you've got to learn. Don't fail to see the sweetest "Vamp" story ever told. How Nellie Jones smilingly vamped her way through life, breaking hearts as though they were kidney beans until she vamped her own heart away, makes a darling of a picture.

Shows Continuous 1:15 to 10 P. M.

Call 430 L for Time Shows Start

Craig Gained Thirty Pounds Taking Tanlac

"I started taking Tanlac I have not only gained thirty pounds in weight, but for the first time in twenty-five years I am enjoying good health," said J. J. Craig, of 42 North Madison street, Bloomington, Ill., recently.

"Yes sir, I am fifty years of age," he continued, "and twenty-five of those years have been spent in misery and suffering without a let-up until I began taking Tanlac. I was never able to get a thing without filling up with gas afterwards and having much intense cramping pains in my stomach. I could hardly stand them. Why, at times I would have these spells of cramps while at work and have to be taken home, where I would lie for hours almost unconscious. I was all run down and weak, and would play out before I had worked half a day, and very often had to quit and go home. But, thanks to Tanlac, this is all a thing of the past, now."

"Tanlac has simply made a new man of me and it has given me good health, something I never expected to have again. I can sit down now, and eat anything without its hurting me, the least bit. I am never troubled with gas and never have the least sign of a pain in my stomach. I feel strong, and vigorous all the time, and am able to work every day and all day long with the greatest ease. No, sir, I wouldn't take all the money in Bloomington for what Tanlac has done for me, and I expect to praise it as long as I live."

Tanlac is sold in Portsmouth by the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, and the leading druggists in every town.

Directors Organize

Directors of the Superior Motors Company, Gay and Galia streets, have elected officers for the coming year as follows:

President and Treasurer—John B. Knous.

Vice President and Secretary—A. W. Zahara.

The company reports a very prosperous business since its organization only six months ago.

Sure Relief

BELL'S
6 BELL'S
Hot Water
Sure Relief
FOR INDIGESTION

Credit Men Meet Tonight

Tonight the monthly session of the Portsmouth Association of Credit Men will be held in the basement of the United Brethren church and in the assembly room at the Security bank building. A supper will be served in the church basement at 6:30 o'clock and then the members will adjourn to the Security bank assembly room. Every member is urged to be present tonight, as this is the first meeting in two months.

SHOULDER BROKEN
Chris Widley of 1223 Union avenue was walking to the home of a neighbor Sunday when he slipped and fell on his left shoulder, breaking the bone. Dr. W. M. Ellison reduced the fracture, an X-ray being taken by Virgil Fowler.

Going To Chilly
The Selects play Chillicothe Athletic Club at Chillicothe on February 3rd. Bauman's five defeated the Selects on the P. H. S. floor some time ago, but the camp town aggregation has a strengthened lineup and is anxious for revenge.

RUSSIAN SOVIET

(Continued from Page One)
Examination of Martens before the senate subcommittee investigating Russian propaganda was resumed today and his statement as to the policy of the Russian soviet followed the request of the committee that the original of his instructions be presented. Previously, Senator Howard, Martens' counsel, had explained that Martens had refused to present the code used for communicating with his government before the last legislative committee in New York.

The code was the only thing the soviet agent wanted to protect, Harwick declared.

"My government specifically instructed me that the funds at my disposal should not be used for any purpose involving interference in the internal affairs of the United States," he read.

Senator Borah, of Idaho, Republican, declared that the committee would want to have the original instructions from the soviet government to him.

"Have you ever carried on propaganda in this country with a view to getting soviet government established in this country?" Senator Borah asked.

"Never," Martens answered. "I have carried on a propaganda in this country to get the soviet government recognized, that is all."

Resigns As Library Trustee

Mayor William M. Gahman Monday resigned the following explanatory letter from Attorney A. T. Holcomb:

Hon. Wm. M. Gahman,
Mayor—Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

You will please accept my sincere thanks for your appointment of me as Trustee of the Portsmouth Public Library.

For this task of your extreme confidence, I am most grateful. My gratitude is heightened, that it comes after thirty-two years service, as a member of the Board, during which time I have witnessed the rapid and steady growth of our Library.

It is now a splendid library, but it is not complete and much patience and labor will be required to keep it abreast with the times, and meet the demands of the future.

My business arrangements, however, are such as to require me to be absent from home, much of the time during the next year. This fact together with the more urgent work that the future of the Library should be entrusted to younger and more active men, has induced me to decline your appointment.

In retiring from the Board of Trustees, of which I have been President for several years, I wish to thank all the members present and past, with whom I have been associated, as also our efficient Librarian, for the uniform kindness and courtesy they have so graciously extended to me. These pleasant associations can never be forgotten.

Extending to you personally, and to your administration, my kindest regards and my warmest wishes—

I am most respectfully yours,
ANSELIM T. HOLCOMB.

Dr. Howard Williamson was appointed to the vacancy on the Library Board.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Monday—Regular meeting of the Official Board. Every member urged to be present.

Troop Seven of the Boy Scouts will hold an important business meeting at the church promptly at 7:00 o'clock Tuesday night. At this meeting the scoutmaster wishes to make out a program for the coming season. Every member is requested to be present.

The New Hope Class will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Sowers, 1227 Lincoln St. All members are invited.

The Philanthropy class meets Tuesday evening with Mrs. Arthur Hanfield, 1516 Robinson Ave., with Sarah Hill and Mrs. Preston Gabel, assisting.

The 4th Division of the Ladies Aid will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward Dawson, 1103 6th street. All members are urged to attend and bring your needle and thread with you.

The Girl Scouts will hold a picnic supper in the basement of the church Friday evening at 6 o'clock. An interesting meeting will follow.

Choir practice at the usual hour Friday night.

The church will observe a week of prayer beginning Monday, Feb. 2nd. It is requested that no other meetings of any kind be arranged that week, so that everybody will be free to attend these meetings for prayer.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS

The Session, Trustees and Deacons will meet at the church Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Choir practice Thursday evening at 7:15.

The Men's Bible class will meet at the home of Earl Brande, Thursday evening at 7:30. All members are invited to come.

The W. W. class will meet at the home of Clara and Gertrude Richter Friday evening.

Junior Endeavor Rally Sunday afternoon at 2:30. All the Junior Endeavor societies of the Union will meet together. A special program is being prepared. A large attendance is expected.

Remember the 6th anniversary of the dedication of the church will be Sunday February 22nd. The all day program is being prepared. Some of the former pastors will be present.

NOTICE TO C. OF C. MEMBERS

Members of the Chamber of Commerce, who have changed their place of residence recently, are kindly asked to notify the office of the organization so that proper correction may be made in the membership mailing list. A number of cards come back each time notices are sent of meetings.

The office of the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce is now in Room 317 Masonic Temple. It is imperative that the mailing lists be kept up to date and in order to do this, members should always notify the office of the C. C. when they change their address.

CYCLE CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Sunday afternoon a meeting of the Portsmouth Cycle Club was held at the Frank Knapp bicycle shop on Ninth street, the members electing the following officers:

President—Earl Minch.

Secretary and Treasurer—William Ingles.

Road Captain—William Kleinman.

Lieutenants—Wesley Shaw, Henry Torres, Harold Wilhelm, Carl Howland.

The next meeting will be next Sunday afternoon at one o'clock. Frank Knapp gave a talk on cycling and the object of the club, yesterday. The officers are on the lookout for a club room. The members of the club are Carl Howland, Roy Landerman, Walter Chapman, Homer Cox, Wesley Shaw, Paul Brunner, Gordon Reed, Richard Brown, Paul Artie Edward Gilman, Lee Mingo, Harold Hubert, Tom Moore, Paul Hattie, William Kleinman, Homer Mickelthwait, Richard Preidler, Earl Minch, Roy Zeiler, John Knowles, Morris Deatley, Henry Torres, John Sponger, Joe Montaron, Paul Montaron, Gilbert Reed, William Ingles.

Attended "Farmers' Week"
Walter Giam, county farm agent, and Charles Appel, School Trail, one of the state's champion corn growers, left today for Columbus, where they will attend the eighth annual Farmers' Week at Ohio State University. The week of special meetings and lectures will close Friday. Subjects of interest to the farmer of today will be thoroughly discussed.

Wrist Fractured
Eck Lutz, Lanesville, suffered a fracture of his right wrist Saturday, when he fell on the ice. An X-ray was taken at the wrist at Fowler's laboratory and Dr. W. D. Mickelthwait dressed the injury.

BIRTHS
A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. William Allen, who live near Fulton.

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MANLY CHURCH NEWS

The Young Women's Missionary Society will meet at the home of Anna Bush, 1003 Grandview avenue, Monday evening. Every member is urged to be present. All of the young women of the church are invited.

The Queen Esther and Standard Bearers will hold their monthly meeting Monday evening at the home of Anna Blazer, 1000 High street.

The Foreign Missionary Society meets Tuesday at the home of Mrs. John Lockhart, 2023 Seventeenth street. She will be assisted by Mes-

demes Keadle, Chabot, Blazer and Fanny Moore. A good program will be given and all ladies are invited. Meeting is called for two o'clock.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, subject: "Great Results From Intercession." Teachers' Training Class after prayer meeting.

The Epworth League will have a social meeting in the church basement Thursday evening at 7:30. A short business session will be held also and men members will be received into the league. All young people are cordially invited.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Sunday morning the slippery sidewalks kept many regular Sabbath school attendants at home, the decrease in the total attendance yesterday being 32, the total being 5706.

Franklin Avenue M. E. is growing steadily and a notable increase is noted in the attendance in that school. Trinity led in the Men's Classes with 146 present, First Christian being second with 118 and Ingelow third with 112. Sunday's school record:

Trinity 724
First Christian 634
Second Presbyterian 589
Manly 581
Franklin Ave. M. E. 506
First Presbyterian 492
Ingelow 359
First Evangelical 313
Grandview Ave. Christian 258
First Baptist 219
United Brethren 211
Allen Chapel 190
Seasideville M. E. 173
New Boston Christian 151
New Boston Baptist 145
New Boston M. E. 117
Kendall Baptist 96
Kendall Ave. Baptist 91
Wheelersburg M. E. 91
Pleasant Green Baptist 92

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BIRTHS

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REALTY DEAL MEANS NEW GARAGE

A big real estate deal was closed this morning when the Superior Motors Company announced that they had bought the property at the southeast corner of Ninth and John streets, known as the Layher and Schmitz property, the deal being closed with \$10,000. This hustling company is in charge of the real estate. This property has a frontage of 68 feet on John street and 70 feet on Ninth street, and although the consideration was not given, the price paid for the property was \$10,000. This hustling company is in charge of the real estate. This property has a frontage of 68 feet on John street and 70 feet on Ninth street, and although the consideration was not given, the price paid for the property was \$10,000. This hustling company is in charge of the real estate. This property has a frontage of 68 feet on John street and 70 feet on Ninth street, and although the consideration was not given, the price paid for the property was \$10,000.

K. Of P. Grand Lodge Session To Be Held On Wednesday

Philanthropy, so far as Portsmouth is concerned, will reach its highest tide on next Wednesday, when officers of the Grand Lodge, together with the county deputies, gather at Magnolia

Lodge No. 115, K. of P. to conduct the vote cast in the recent election for grand lodge officers and to select a place for the holding of the next grand lodge meeting. Incidentally, the coming to Portsmouth of the state officers will give the members of Magnolia Lodge a chance to display their hospitality and it is needless to add that everything necessary for the correct entertaining of the distinguished guests will be properly attended to.

In the evening, Grand Chancellor E. W. Tidd, of Stockdale, will entertain the grand lodge officers and deputies at a banquet to be served in Seel's parlors. This affair will be followed by a meeting at Magnolia hall where a program will be rendered, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock.

Many of the distinguished guests will arrive here on Tuesday afternoon and evening and the counting of the ballots will be conducted at Magnolia hall on the morning of Wednesday, Jan. 28. In the afternoon the officers will meet in session to decide upon the time and place for holding the next Grand Lodge session.

Following the special banquet at Seel's parlors the scene of action will be transferred to Magnolia Hall, where a splendid program will be rendered. It will be in part as follows: By County Deputy Edward Bremer presiding in the chair:

Honors extended to Grand Lodge officers.

Address of welcome—Mayor W. N. Gahman.

Response—Judge Leeders, of Cincinnati.

Siditions led by E. C. Hood, with Prof. Capas at the piano.

Reports of Lodge Deputies covering the past six months, with outlook for the succeeding six months.

Address—Fred A. Moss, of Ironton.

Introduction of Grand Lodge officers.

Closing Address—Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, William Beatty, of Toledo.

Social hour and refreshments.

Annual Meeting Wednesday

The annual meeting of the Ohio and West Virginia Field Committee of the Y. W. C

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October 22.

THE MOVIES



KATHLEEN MAURVORNEEN—WILLIAM FOX PRODUCTION

"Kathleen Mavourneen," that beautiful old Irish Ballad, reproduced in Six Reels of Exquisite Motion Pictures at the Columbia for Three Days, Starting Today

"Kathleen Mavourneen," one of the most popular and best remembered of the old Irish Ballads, has been made into motion pictures.

Today at the Columbia it will open three day engagement and it promises to be one of the best of the many good pictures that have been shown in Portsmouth for some time.

As the name and story imply, this is a picture of Irish production with all the scenes laid in the Emerald Isle, the characters, costumes and all surroundings bristling with true Irish life and atmosphere.

The beauty, the charm, the laughter and the love of old Ireland will go straight to your heart in the presentation of this wonderful story of the Old Emerald Isle, and remember, real Irish music has been arranged by Mr. Lawrence, the organist, and everybody enjoys Irish music.

Starting promptly each afternoon at 1:30, succeeding shows will start at 3:00, 4:30, 6:00, 7:30 and 9:00, the admission price being 30 cents for adults and 15 cents for children under twelve.



The Picture House of two stars comes to the Temple tonight and tomorrow and to the Family Wednesday, when "Eyes of the World" will be presented

It seems almost a waste of time and so well known is the book. Over nine million copies of it have been sold in the United States alone so it can

be said that it is the book of the hour. Don't believe us? Try it. Price 50c and \$1.00 at all drug stores. Send 25 cents to The Jackson Medicine Co., Cincinnati, O., for sample package.

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readily be seen that practically every one is familiar with it.

It is also almost useless to say anything more than has already been said in praise of strong, manly, convincing Maurice Hainsbury, or beautiful Jane Norok, the stars of the production, except to remark in passing that here they fairly outdo themselves.

As to the production as a whole, nothing ever put on the screen has ever attracted such widespread attention or such favorable comment, so don't fail to see it.

The Temple Orchestra will provide a special musical setting.

DOCTOR JACKSON'S Digestive and Liver Powder

Use this powder and eat what you like. Don't believe us? Try it. Price 50c and \$1.00 at all drug stores. Send 25 cents to The Jackson Medicine Co., Cincinnati, O., for sample package.



Feature Comedy Drama of the Limerick One situation after another will compel tells of delight from you when you see Albert Roy and Elmer Fair in "The A Little Sport" here tonight.

It is a brilliantly scintillating farce-comedy of the limerick type. The laughable manner in which the limerick theory is dispensed and the entanglements it leads to while being unraveled make this photoplay a corking good comedy drama full to the brim with comic situations. Also a funny Mutt and Jeff comedy "The Cave Man Bird."



Sessue Hayakawa in "The Illustrious Prince," a Thrilling Dramatization of a Great Story by E. Phillips Oppenheim, is at The Strand tonight—Also "The Black Secret."

One of the most absorbing and thrilling stories ever written, "The Illustrious Prince," from the pen of the brilliant E. Phillips Oppenheim, is utilized by Sessue Hayakawa, the Japanese star, as a screen drama.

The story is that of a Japanese Prince who trailed to London the cosmopolitan ruse and adventure who had brought disgrace to the Prince's

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Henry Vandyska, Well Known Milk Dealer, Tells a Striking Nerv-Worth Story

That which gave this endeavor faith in Nerv-Worth has given thousands of fellow sufferers the same faith. Nerv-Worth Co.—Before taking Nerv-Worth, in fact ever since I was 17, I had serious stomach trouble. I could not eat cabbage, turnips, corn, cakes, nor many vegetables, except with serious distress. When I saw that every Nerv-Worth ad contained the words "Your Dollars back if the tonic does not help YOU," I concluded that the remedy must have real merit. I bought a bottle of it. The first bottle did me so much good that I felt encouraged to believe it would cure my indigestion in 14 days. So, I took Nerv-Worth until four bottles had gotten in their work against my trouble, and now I am cured. I can digest all those foods which gave me so much distress and can go to bed and sleep like a baby. Nerv-Worth also has banished all my nervousness and sleeplessness. I have taken all kinds of medicine. None gave the satisfaction that Nerv-Worth has.

HENRY VANDYSKA, Cambridge, O., Route 9, Fisher and Streich Pharmacy sells Nerv-Worth in Portsmouth. Your dollar back if this famous family tonic does not benefit you.

father, Prince Matro arrives at the house of the Duke of Devonham, his dearest friend, in time to circumvent the adventure in his attempts to dishonor the wife of the Duke. When the Duke is found murdered, suspicion points to the Prince as the murderer. Solution of the mystery and confession of the real criminal, provide a series of intensely dramatic episodes of a highly-colored and sensational character. Pearl White is also at the Strand tonight. Don't miss it.

At The Arcades Today Manager Potts made a ten strike when he closed a contract for the Hot Gibson Western features in multiple reels. Another of these Gibson pictures is showing here this afternoon and evening. "The Double Holdup" is the title of the two reel Western with Hot Gibson as the smiling terror. This is a dandy Western drama, sure to please. "Charlie Gets a Job" is a two reel Rainbow comedy with Charlie from the Orient in the chief laugh-producing role. A dandy program to start off a week of feature shows.

THEATRICAL Big Show At The Sun

Twenty-five people, sixteen of them beautiful girls.

One solid carload of special scenery and more than one hundred trunks crammed with gorgeous costumes—

A great big musical comedy company, presenting three separate and complete, full-sized comic operas, each consuming an hour and thirty minutes with complete change of stage settings and effects and wardrobe for each extravaganza.

These are just a few of the outstanding features of "The Big Revue," which is the attraction extraordinary at the Sun for the entire week, beginning today, with an entire change of Program Thursday and Saturday. The show is heralded and advertised as unquestionably the most brilliant array of feminine loveliness ever presented upon the stage at the Sun and it is expected to continue to break all records of attendance during its Portsmouth engagement.

The usual three shows will be given each day at the Sun during the engagement of "The Big Revue"—at 2 o'clock each afternoon and at 7:30 and 9:00 o'clock each night. In addition there will be a feature first run photoplay of the finest quality with each of the three extravaganzas to be offered by "The Big Revue."

At The Sun

Comedy is the overwhelming ingredient which goes to make up the entertaining play of "Bringing Up Father Society," which will be the next offering at The Sun Jan. 28, matinee and night. The piece, which is wedded to bright and snappy music, features surprise, novelties and other diverting humorous essentials. It is based on the popular comics of George McManus. As in former seasons, it is sponsored by Gus Hill who first saw the possibilities of presenting cartoon plays upon the stage. Sent sale Tuesday.

"EVERY HOUR OR SO"

We Had To Arise At Night Because of Kidney and Bladder Ailments

Tells of the Good Backwash Tablets Worked

Mr. W. E. Goff, connected with the D. L. & W. R. R. Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "For two years I had suffered from disorders of the kidneys and bladder. Distressing pain in the back and hips. Depression and extreme nervousness. Also a frequent desire to urinate, many nights every hour or so. I would have to arise, as the present in bladder region was unbearable. My ankles swelled and my skin became dry and harsh. After using Backwash Tablets I suffered relief and continued taking until now I feel wholly relieved of pain and suffering. I am glad to recommend Backwash Tablets as a most reliable beneficial medicine."

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Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William West of John street has recovered from a attack of scarlet fever.



Special on Men's Furnishings

While we were invoicing we found various lots of merchandise for men that should be moved. We are now placing this merchandise on special sale, thus affording a splendid opportunity for the men to restock on their furnishings and at the same time save money. Some of these lots are not very large and will not last long but all are remarkable bargains.

Men's Underwear

ONE special lot of Men's good Undersuits, splendid value, good fitting, \$3.00 grade; special \$1.95
One assortment Men's wool and Cotton-mixed Undersuits, worth more than the regular price of \$3.25; but the special price is \$2.75

Men's Hats and Caps

One special assortment of Men's Caps, worth \$2.00 and \$2.50; to close out at only \$1.49
Another lot of Men's Caps that formerly sold at \$1.50 and \$2.00; special 75c
Men's cloth Hats. Here is a bargain, men. One lot of Men's cloth Hats, good style, good quality, good value; special \$2.25

Who Wants a Shirt For 75c?

Here we have one assortment of special Shirts for men. They got messed during the Christmas rush and regardless of the former prices we now put them out at each 75c

Do You Want These?

Good, heavy, all-wool work Socks 64c. Black cotton Socks, good quality; special, 35c.
Men's Belts at \$1.00 and \$1.25. One assortment, while they last, 50c.
Boys' Gloves in one assortment of 75c value, special 45c.
Men's wool Shirts, \$4.00.

Mallory Hats

You can't get anything better than a Mallory Hat, and here is a special lot of these famous hats for \$4.50

Special Prices on Men's Sweaters

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WORLD MOVES FORWARD WITH LONG STRIDES

Peace Has Its Victories No Less Than War—Science Holds Calamity of Its Naming Qualities. "Calotab" the New Name.

Here is good news for the sixteen hundred millions of people in the world who have been to be cleared, systems to be purified and bloods to be cleansed. Calotab, the most successful liver medicine, has been robbed of its griping and nauseating effects. Calotab, the new name, makes a real pleasure a real pleasure. In future ask your druggist for Calotab, the de-natured calomel tablet. He is authorized to refund the price if you are not perfectly delighted with Calotab. One tablet on the tongue at bedtime, with a swallow of water—that is all. No more griping nor unpleasantness of any kind. You wake up in the morning feeling fine, with a hearty appetite. Eat what you please and go about your work, no danger. The genuine Calotab are sold only in original sealed packages in bulk. Price thirty-five cents (adv.)

4,000 Tickets Distributed

COLUMBUS, Jan. 24—Joe Kennan, treasurer of the Frank Krueger benefit committee, last night reported that 4,000 tickets for the benefit at Indian-ock Park next Monday night have been distributed. He still has on hand 550 of the tickets.

Few of the solicitations so far have reported, but \$100 in cash has been turned in. Several special prizes have been offered, including a five pound box of candy by George Heller, carter of caskets by the E. M. Schoenborn Company, chicken by Howard Diller, milk by Bert Gray, ham by J. W. Hoefner and \$5 worth of merchandise by the Vogue Shop.

The committee in charge of the benefit will meet again Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Parlor B of the South-ern Hotel. All who have received tickets are expected to report to treasurer Kennan at that time.

Rice and Dillow Better

Low Dillow and William Rice, who were seriously injured when a street car and a traction car collided near Seltsville several days ago were reported better Monday at Hempstead hospital. Both men expect to return to their homes shortly. Dillow lives on Castle Hill near Seltsville and Rice lives in the Glenale Addition near that village.

Coal Men Will Meet

HUNTINGTON, Jan. 26—Arrangements are being perfected for the annual meeting of the Central Coal Association to be held in this city on February 2nd, when it is expected that approximately two hundred operators from the Guyan, Kanawha, Rio Sandy, Norfolk and Western, Tucker and Eastern Kentucky districts will be present. One of the important questions which will come before the Association will be that of moving the headquarters from Cincinnati to Huntington.

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Car Shortage Serious

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Coal coal at the Interstate Transfer and Storage Co. Phone 825.

WITH THE SICK

Paul Berare of the First National Bank has been ill several days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Berare of Fourth street. Such a head of 417 Chillicothe street who is one of the pioneer citizens of Portsmouth is critically ill with pneumonia. Relatives have been called to his bedside. Mr. Berare is one of the city's best known citizens. Jonas Cooper of Upper Twin Creek,

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Paul Berare of the First National Bank has been ill several days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Berare of Fourth street. Such a head of 417 Chillicothe street who is one of the pioneer citizens of Portsmouth is critically ill with pneumonia. Relatives have been called to his bedside. Mr. Berare is one of the city's best known citizens. Jonas Cooper of Upper Twin Creek,



TRAGEDY COMES FOR THE SECOND TIME TO THE MIDDLE AGED WOMAN SCENE FROM "CHOOSING A WIFE"

Don't Get Married Until You See "Choosing a Wife" A Dramatic Presentation of Life's Greatest Problem at the Exhibit Tonight, One Day Only A Great Picture

Do men choose their wives, or do the girls and women only permit them? "Choosing a Wife" is a dramatic presentation of one of the greatest problems of today. "Choosing a Wife" will be shown at the Exhibit tonight, one day only. It can't fool him with their range and range at her home with him to serve him that you see it. Another thriller: lip sticks. He is going to find a real thing a dollar or two, why does he do that? The Great Radiant: notable girl who will save his money, sent her for the girl who calls him "Mystery" and a new item of the King and handle the gas store like an old "pilot" when he suggests a street car. But does he? With all his real life, instead of a taxi? You will get the attraction tomorrow.



Constance Talmadge in "A Virtuous Vamp" At the Lyric Today, Tomorrow and Wednesday is called the "Darling" Picture of the Season

Constance Talmadge As Titled Beauty, becomes Nellie Jones To Win Livedown Dignified Natural Heat As "A Virtuous Vamp."

After a modest girl with a capital, she scolded a Manhattan Jew, who for the signature, and fashion of city, a Broadway showman

THEATRICAL

Twenty-five people, sixteen of them beautiful girls.

One solid carload of special scenery and more than one hundred trunks crammed with gorgeous costumes—

A great big musical comedy company, presenting three separate and complete, full-sized comic operas, each consuming an hour and thirty minutes with complete change of stage settings and effects and wardrobe for each extravaganza.

These are just a few of the outstanding features of "The Big Revue," which is the attraction extraordinary at the Sun for the entire week, beginning today, with an entire change of Program Thursday and Saturday. The show is heralded and advertised as unquestionably the most brilliant array of feminine loveliness ever presented upon the stage at the Sun and it is expected to continue to break all records of attendance during its Portsmouth engagement.

The usual three shows will be given each day at the Sun during the engagement of "The Big Revue"—at 2 o'clock each afternoon and at 7:30 and 9:00 o'clock each night. In addition there will be a feature first run photoplay of the finest quality with each of the three extravaganzas to be offered by "The Big Revue."

At The Sun

Comedy is the overwhelming ingredient which goes to make up the entertaining play of "Bringing Up Father Society," which will be the next offering at The Sun Jan. 28, matinee and night. The piece, which is wedded to bright and snappy music, features surprise, novelties and other diverting humorous essentials. It is based on the popular comics of George McManus. As in former seasons, it is sponsored by Gus Hill who first saw the possibilities of presenting cartoon plays upon the stage. Sent sale Tuesday.

We Had To Arise At Night Because of Kidney and Bladder Ailments

Tells of the Good Backwash Tablets Worked

Mr. W. E. Goff, connected with the D. L. & W. R. R. Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "For two years I had suffered from disorders of the kidneys and bladder. Distressing pain in the back and hips. Depression and extreme nervousness. Also a frequent desire to urinate, many nights every hour or so. I would have to arise, as the present in bladder region was unbearable. My ankles swelled and my skin became dry and harsh. After using Backwash Tablets I suffered relief and continued taking until now I feel wholly relieved of pain and suffering. I am glad to recommend Backwash Tablets as a most reliable beneficial medicine."

The Backwash Products Co., Dayton, Ohio, guarantees every package satisfactory or money back, so why not stop your pain and distress with Backwash Tablets. Sold by leading druggists. Price, \$1.00.—Adv.

Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William West of John street has recovered from a attack of scarlet fever.

STARTING
TODAY

SUN THEATRE

MOST BEAUTIFUL ARRAY OF FEMININE BEAUTY EVER BROUGHT TO PORTSMOUTH

ALL THIS
WEEKAll This
Week

"THE BIG REVUE"

Starting
Monday

Oh, Boy! Look At Em! Sixteen Real Heart-Breakers!

Solid Carload
Of Special
Scenery
—
Rainbow
Of Color100 Trunks Of
Gorgeous
Costumes
—
A Flame
Of Beauty

25 People - 16 OF THEM Beautiful GIRLS

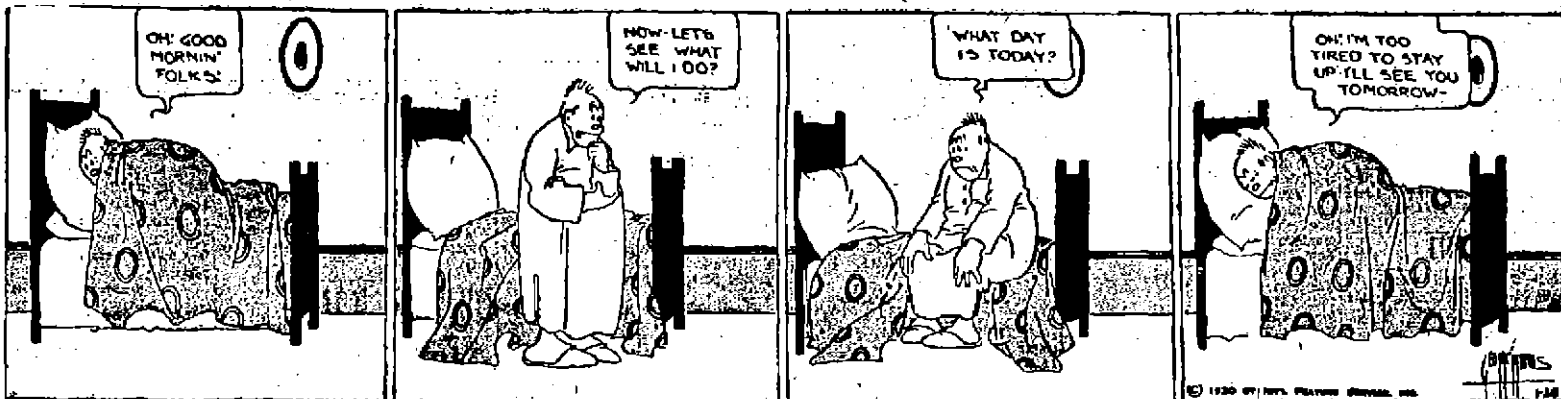
The piquant loveliness of its beautiful girls will take your breath away—the luring strains of its wondrous melodies will make you forget the ticking of the clock and the passage of time—the rollicking dance music will set your feet to tapping and your shoulders to swaying—the clean, irresistible humor of its lines will make you laugh out loud—the only thing to worry about is whether you are there in time to see it, for there'll be capacity crowds at every show—By all means, and for the love of the beautiful ladies, don't miss this wonderful show.

A MUSICAL COMEDY COMPANY YOU'LL TALK ABOUT LONG AFTER IT'S GONE

BRINGING UP FATHER

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BY GEORGE McMANUS



GOLD MEDAL AWARDED MISS BANNON

PARIS, Saturday, Jan. 26.—In recognition of the services rendered in Montenegro by the American Red Cross, the signing of the armistice, Colonel Mitchell today decorated 19 Red Cross workers at the direction of King Nicholas.

Among those decorated was Miss Charlotte Bannan, Portsmouth, O., who was awarded the

Gold Medal of Montenegro.

Miss Bannan was engaged in Red Cross work in Montenegro with headquarters in France for many months. Her many friends will be pleased to learn of her

devotion for meritorious work. She is the daughter of Mrs. J. W. Bannan and a sister of Attorney H. T. Bannan. A. H. Bannan and J. W. Bannan of the Executive Shoe Company.

Six Locomotives Destroyed

BECKLEY, W. VA., Jan. 26.—The machine shop and motor barn of the Mead-Tolliver Coal Company at Kilmory, W. Va., was destroyed, entailing a loss of about \$75,000. One of the serious features attend-

FIRST WEEK, 5 EGGS;
SECOND, 72; THIRD, 104

Here Shaved Steady Egg Gain for Mrs. Pierce in Winter Weather.

"The week before we tried Don Sung, we got 5 eggs, from 50 hens. The first week, from a 50-cent package of Don Sung, we got 72 eggs, and the next week 104. Some of our hens are more fertile than others. I started them in early."—Mrs. B. F. Pierce, R. F. D. 1, Butler, Tenn.

Mrs. Pierce selected a severe time for her test—the middle of January. Yet she started getting the eggs promptly. Your hens can lay well in cold weather, and we'll prove it. Here's our offer:—Give your Leta Don Sung and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself and pays you a good profit besides, simply tell us and your money will be promptly refunded.

Don Sung (Chinese for egg-laying) works directly on the egg-laying organ, and is also a splendid tonic. It keeps the hen's body warm, improves the hen's health, makes her more active in any weather, and starts her laying. Try Don Sung for 30 days and if it doesn't get you the eggs, no matter how cold or wet the weather, your money will be refunded by return mail. Get Don Sung from your druggist or poultry remedy dealer or send 50 cents for a package by mail prepaid. Bechtel-Decker Co., Box Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

Return Name
H. L. Burns of Scholastic has returned from a business trip to Ironton.

Sign With Columbus
Ironton, Jan. 26.—Ironton will be well represented in the American Association baseball circles this season, as Joe Wiley, local promoter, buyer, and Lawrence Cannon, popular young catcher, leave March 3rd for Columbus to embark with the Senators for their spring training camp.

Brick Plant Is Sure Go

Ironton, Jan. 26.—Representatives of the Tri-State Brick and Tile company, recently incorporated with an authorized capital stock of \$125,000 were in the city yesterday.

The company has secured a five acre tract from the C. D. & K. Coal company and contracts are already being placed for the machinery for the plant to be erected just above Hick Creek bridge and to the left of the county highway. The company also has contracts for coal, clay and shale from the C. D. & K. company and are in excellent shape for the manufacture of brick and tile at the minimum of costs. The plant to be erected will have a capacity of about 40,000 per day.

The plant will be under the management of F. W. Bryson of this city. Good coal at the Interstate Transfer and Storage Co. Phone 325. 9-41.

Anderson Is Arrested
On a warrant issued from the probate court, John Anderson, a street man, was arrested by Sheriff Hickey and Deputy Harry Dunham yesterday and lodged in the county jail pending his hearing before Judge Gilliland. He is charged with non-support of his children in a complaint filed by his wife.

THE BATTLE WON
Confidence in your physician
or the tonic that he may
prescribe, is half the battle
won. The consistent use of
SCOTT'S
EMULSION

always begets confidence in those who take it. Scott's is a tonic-nutrient recommended by physicians everywhere. Let SCOTT'S help you win your battle against weakness.

THOUSANDS DIED
OF INFLUENZA

Doctors Sound Early Warning to Prevent Recurrence of Dreaded Malady This Year.

Avoid closed rooms where there are a number of people. Sleep with your windows open, use a good gargle at night before retiring and every morning when you arise. Take salt and water can be used for this purpose. Keep yourself in good physical condition.

Get a box of Blackie Tablets from your druggist. They are easy to take and contain no alcohol. One for adults and one-half of one for children taken every other night at bed time will assist nature in providing a gentle, sure acting laxative that will keep the system thoroughly cleansed and free from germs.

The influenza germ enters the body through the nose or mouth and are carried to the intestine with the mucus. A congested condition prevents the bowels from throwing off the poisonous matter allowing the germ to enter the system. Blackie Tablets are sold by all druggists at 25c per box.—Advertisement.

Free Kodak
Pictures
At Fowlers

find your picture in the window and you can have it free.

The pictures are replaced by others as fast as they are given away. Watch for your picture.

Smiles, at Least, Haven't Risen in Price

Almost everything, but SMILES have risen in price. Our regular 6 per cent Dividends have kept THOUSANDS SMILING during the past 29 YEARS. Join our crowd and SMILE even at the HIGH PRICES.

THE CITIZENS SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION CO.

Assets Over \$1,600,000.00

6 Per Cent For 29 Years. Why Take Less?

Operated By

The Hutchins & Hamm Company

First National Bank Building

Stuffy with Cold
RELIEF WITHOUT QUININE

Don't stay stuffy up! Quit blowing the head; stop nose running, relieve the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness. "Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and is without danger.

FIRM OPENS REC REATION ROOMS

For the convenience and recreation of its large number of employees, the Hanging Rock Iron company has opened up two modern equipped reading and lounging rooms on the upper floors of the store room of the company.

Each room has been equipped with a pool table, comfortable chairs, writing desks and are greatly appreciated by employees who live some distance from the plant.

Good coal at the Interstate Transfer and Storage Co. Phone 325. 9-41

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Keeps on succeeding where other medicines fail, because its original high standard of merit is conscientiously maintained. Good for blood, STOMACH, LIVER, KIDNEYS.

Ask your druggist how good it is.

JOE LOYNER

PLUMBING and HEATING

1941 Fifth Street

NO "KICK" IN CASCARETS

They Thoroughly Cleanse Liver and Bowels Without Gripping or Shaking You Up—Ideal Physic!

Cascarets end biliousness, headache, colds and constipation so gently you're never even inconvenienced. There is no gripping and none of the explosive after effects of cathartics like Calomel, Salts, sickening Oil or cramping Pils. Tonight take Cascarets and get rid of the bowel and liver poison which is keeping you miserable and sick. Cascarets cost little and work while you sleep.

HAS NO
PAIN NOW

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did for Mrs. Warner.

Onalaska, Wis.—"Every month I had such pains in my back and lower part of stomach I could not lie in bed. I suffered so it seemed as though I would die, and I was not regular either. I suffered for a year and was not able to do any housework, could only walk a few steps and I am now as healthy as a horse. I read an advertisement of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and decided to try it. It surely did wonders for me. I have no pains now and I can do my housework without any trouble at all. I will always praise your medicine as I do not believe there is a doctor that can do as much good to female weakness, and you may see some facts as a testimonial."—Mrs. Emma E. Warner, R. 1, Box 64, Onalaska, Wis.

Dr. Seitz Is Candidate

Dr. William Seitz, 1908 Sixth street will be an applicant. It is said for the appointment as county health commissioner, under a new law, the salary for which has been fixed at \$3,000 a year.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

Section Five will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Miller, 1008 Highland avenue.

Section One will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Boyles, 500 Court street.

Section Three will hold an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Brockman, 1115 Seventeenth street, come prepared to quit.

Section Four will have an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Oscar Robinson, Friday, Jan. 20. All members are asked to be present. Visitors are always welcome.

Lloyd Craden will be the leader at prayer meeting Wednesday evening of this week, and the meeting will start promptly at 7:15 o'clock and close at 9:15, so as not to interfere in any way with the entertainment to be given by the Danbar Quartette and Bell Ringers.



EYE STRAIN

The cause of headaches, pains above the eyes and in the back of the head, can be removed by wearing correct glasses.

J. F. CARR

424 CHILLI, Near Gallia

General Insurance
THE HAZLEBECK CO.

Royal Savings Building
825 Gallia St. Phone 70

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MASONIC NOTICE

Regular meeting of Valley Community, Monday Jan. 26 at 7 P. M. Work in Red Cross.

WANTED

WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 2243-L.

WANTED—Boy, Brandon Book & Stationery Co. 26-21

WANTED—Junior at Lyric Theater. Apply at back door. 26-11

WANTED—Woman for restaurant work 5 days a week. Hours 7:30 to 1:30. Apply Employment Office. 26-11

WANTED—An exceptional opportunity for an active salesman to sell the Hoover Electric Sweeper in Portsmouth and vicinity. If you have had no experience in this line and are the right man, we will teach you. Call on Hoover Representative 8 a. m. 11th Department. The Anderson Bros. Co. 26-21

WANTED—Sales women. The Bragdon Dry Goods Co. 26-21

WANTED—Moving and transfer work. Phone moving a specialty. Phone 1625 C. L. Cunningham. 26-151

WANTED—Second hand furniture. Highest prices paid. Phone us before selling. Star Furn. Co., 630 Second street. Home Phone 74. 26-11

WANTED—Washings, people to bring and call for clothes. Mrs. Lon R. Kendall, 120 Jefferson. 26-31

WANTED—Girl who can cook, who will room here. No others need apply. Morgan's Restaurant, 404 1/2 Thos. avenue, New Boston. 26-11

WANTED—House girl. Mrs. Henry Allos, 1822 Timmonda. 26-11

WANTED—2 experienced sales girls for notion and grocery counter. Pepper's Store, Chilliote Street. 26-11

WANTED—To buy second-hand roll-top desk. Phone 1351-X. 26-11

WANTED—Moving, local or long distance. Trucks equipped complete. Two experienced men handle your goods right. Peel Storage Company, Phone 1219 or 923. 30-11

WANTED—To buy any kind of second-hand furniture. We pay the highest prices. Phone 1645-L. 535 and 21-11

WANTED—Crating, packing and storage of household goods. Phone 319. D. A. Alsop, 3rd and Gay Sts. 21-11

WANTED—To buy from owner, five for six room cottage, down town. Call 451-11. 21-11

WANTED—Girls to help in restaurant. Apply in person to E. D. Rhoads, Manager Whitaker-Cleaver Co. 20-11

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Phone 132-L. 10-11

WANTED—To buy second-hand furniture and clothing. Thomas & Lyons. Phone 40-L. 11-11

Girls
WANTED

At Mitchell Mfg. Co.

Underwear department now on full time, needs sewing machine operators of all kinds.

The
Schmidt-Watkins Co.

Plumbing, Heating and Electrical Contracting

934 Gallia Street
Home Phone 575
Bell 353

SEND US YOUR CLOTHES for Scientific Cleaning, Sanitary Pressing, Repairing, etc. MINOR The Scientific Garment Cleaner 919 Washington St. Phone 1144 X

Peel Storage Co.

Clean storage for household goods Furniture packers and shippers

MOVERS

Local and long distance moving carefully handled by experienced men, in our trucks. Call when you need us. Phone 1219. Residence 923

C. F. STAMM

Plumbing and Heating Contractor Shop: 424 Second Street Home Phone 340 or 310 L

FOR SALE

Ford 1919 Touring Car \$500

Ford 1918 Runabout \$300

Ford 1919 One Ton Truck \$400

Chevrolet 1918 Touring \$300

UNIVERSAL MOTOR CO.

Ninth and Chilli Sts.

Phone 62

DALTON ADDING, LISTING AND CALCULATING MACHINES

JOHN R. CULLUM, Sales Art.

1552 Fifth St. Phone 884-L

P. E. ROUSH

UNION WORKMEN

Painter and Paper Hanger

Phone 638 L 646-Ninth Street

WANTED—To pay cash for Liberty Bonds 710 Chilliote St. 26-11

WANTED—Moving to do. Phone 661-L. Arthur's Grocery. 18-11

WANTED—Furniture to reupholster, Carr and Holm, painters, 1010 Gallia, phone 1040-X. 20-11

WANTED—Your shoes to repair. Yeatts Shoe Hospital, 1009 Gallia, Phone 758-X. 16-11

WANTED—Moving and small hauling with one-ton covered truck; goods carefully handled. L. P. H. Phone 600. 20-11

WANTED—Local and long distance moving with one-ton truck. Phone Houston 013. Henry Merbach, 3725 Stanton. 10-11

WANTED—Painting and paper hanging. Union Workmen. Phone 1070-L. N. F. Gulp. 14-11

WANTED—Woman for cleaning Thursday morning 8 o'clock. 1124 4th. 26-11

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—House containing six large rooms bath steam heat, electric, cellar under entire house. A very comfortable home, located on hill. Phone 921-Y for appointment. 26-11

FOR SALE—1912 new 1923, 816 11th St. 26-11

FOR SALE—Number 10 in Model Radio for Cash. \$200.00. Barker, 1515 1/2 up. Central Hardware Co. 26-11

FOR SALE—Lot 20x150 in Nixonia addition, Westchester, cheap. If sold at once. Phone Boston 1234-L. 26-11

FOR SALE—Good lot in Springdale subdivision, West Side. Reason for selling, leaving Portsmouth. Apply 1222 8th. Phone 1788-L. 26-11

FOR SALE—117 1/2 St. Richard's addition. Kitchen Cabinet, and one kitchenette. Must be sold at once. Mrs. F. B. B. Phone 1245-X. 26-11

FOR SALE—Furniture, second hand. Phone Bradford Music Store, 824 Gallia. 26-11

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Your Table for convenience and comfort, set with the best of silver, glass, china, and linens. Special service for each course. Select from our new designs of sterling or triple plated silverware.

E. J. STABLES

22 Gallia St. Phone 1219

FOR SALE—Four room cottage, bath complete, good bargain if sold at once. Give possession within 10 days. 1906 Timmons. Phone 362-X. 26-11

FOR SALE—Repair your skid chains now. Genuine Weir repair cross chains for trucks and passenger cars. Phil Jacobs, Auto Supplies, 737 Third. 26-11

FOR SALE—Ford roadster with de-mountable wheels, 0 tires. Tires worth price asked for car if sold at once. Phone Boston 76-R. 25-21

FOR SALE—Pool table, standard size, complete, good condition. Bargain. Phone 1626-L. 25-21

FOR SALE—2 story six room house on Glenwood avenue. Inquire of John or Geo. Lawler, New Boston. 24-11

FOR SALE—House on hilltop, 8 rooms and bath, bargain if sold at once. Phone 1437-Y. 24-11

FOR SALE—Ford Touring Car. In good condition. \$225 if sold at once. Phone 212-R. 23-11

FOR SALE—Seal plush coat, white fox mink and stole, \$30 if sold at once. 1516 Fifth, Phone 103-X. 21-11

FOR SALE—Now and used Burroughs adding machine, Burroughs Adding Machine Company, National Bank Building, Room 53, R. S. Cleveland, Mgr. 23-11

FOR SALE—4 room cottage. Vacant. Downtown. B. M. Donohoe. Phone 1216-Y. 23-11

FOR SALE—Cycle motor. Phone 312-220 Market. 23-11

FOR SALE—Small Brunswick pool table. Phone 1025. 20-11

FOR SALE—Store room and other property. Splendid investment. Good location. Income \$50 per month. Phone 2209-Y noon or after 5:30 at 1203 11th St. 17-11

FOR SALE—Property known as Seaton Street African Methodist Episcopal church, including parsonage. Also frontage on Seaton St. 67 1/2 feet, extending back to alley. Call John Jackson, William Gooden, or James Melvin. 15-11

FOR SALE—Two lots, one-half mile above Seatonville on Ohio river, suitable for camp. Werner's grocery, 010 Gallia. 10-11

FOR SALE—Or Trade. 1019 Studio, 1019 1/2 cylinder, good condition. Will sell or trade for smaller car. Portsmouth Chandler Co. Phone 921-4 or 512. 16-11

FOR SALE—Express wagon in first class condition. Phone 62-R. 20-11

FOR SALE—Ohio's greatest land bargain, W. A. Elchberger, Land Specialist, Room 65 First National Bank Bldg. 25-11

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping 517 Findlay. 26-11

FOR RENT—Two furnished house-keeping rooms, bath. 1630 Fifth. 26-11

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for house keeping. Phone 1206-V. 26-11

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. No children. Phone 1243-X. 25-11

FOR RENT—Large room with office. Formerly Third and Chilliote. Formerly Bridges Library. Suitable for a garage. Brick house, hold 20 to 25 cars. J. D. Brinkley, Elk Building. 25-11

FOR RENT—Furnished room for gentleman. Phone 1404-L. 10-11

FOR RENT—Furnished room, furnished, all conveniences. Phone 1014-X. Call 1536 Fifth. 25-11

FOR RENT—Large 625 and 82 St. 17-11

FOR RENT—Down, furnished or unfurnished. Phone 2250-R. 24-11

FOR RENT—Nice furnished room for gentleman, all conveniences, references required. Phone 221-2247. 25-11

FOR RENT—Furnished room for one or two gentlemen. Phone 1545-11. 24-11

FOR RENT—Brick two-story building, 1910-11. Fine business room, good location, at 70 Chilliote St. W. A. Warner. 15-11

FOR RENT—Rooms, 1401 6th. 16-11

FOR RENT—Two room, all conveniences. Suitable for one or two gentlemen. Excellent location. 1204 3th. 13-11

LOST

LOST—Wool watch on Chilliote, between 10th and 11th St. Reward. Phone 1914-L. 20-11

LOST—Steam 1012, 104 Chilliote St. in front of Dr. Bennett's on Chilliote St. Reward. Phone 357-H or 312 Edison. 20-11

LOST—Tan 1012, grey riding boots, between 11th and 20th street on Chilliote. Phone 124-Y. 20-11

GROUND HOG DAY

When spring is here, but the weather is still chilly, with snow and ice, it is the time to get a new coat of paint. Make early plans for those delighted with a new coat of paint. Call a professional painter. The A. V. Co. 111 Chilliote St. Phone 1111 and 1112

SHELA BROS.

Phone 111 936 Gallia Street Phone 110

FOR SALE!

Nice 5-room cottage, bath complete, pantry, cellar, large lot. Property in very good condition. 18th street near Waller. Worth the price \$4450

A beautiful modern cottage on High street, 5 rooms, reception hall, French doors, complete bath, sanitary sink, pantry, lot 36 feet front. An attractive home. Price \$5200

J. E. SHUMP

31 First National Bank Bldg. Member Real Estate Board

The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Last week's rally to prominent industrialists, principally steel and equipment, was not resumed at the dull and uncertain opening of today's stock market. Further heaviness among the motor issues acting as a deterrent. Initial advance of a point in Crucible Steel and a 1 1/2 point decline in General Motors. Moderate reactions were the rule in oil, shipbuilding, copper, and tobacco. Most gains were forfeited within the first half hour. The market became more irregular in the early dealings but hardened at the first indications of support. Improvement was especially perceptible among stocks where the shorts recently were more active. Other issues, in which prospective favorable dividend action is contemplated, also strengthened. Gains were temporary, however, as publication of foreign exchange, together with a sharp upward in news in that quarter, but losses were largely recovered at noon. Highest quotations were recorded in the last hour, the market ignoring a ten per cent money rate and the further break in foreign exchange. The closing was strong.

Steel, motors and oils at gross gains of 10 points featured in day's broader stock market. Sales approximated \$20,000 shares.

American Beet Sugar 91 1/2. American Car & Foundry 133 1/2. American Locomotive 92 1/2. American Smelting & Refining 63 1/2. American Sumatra Tobacco 91 1/2. American T. & C. 87 1/2. Anaconda Copper 62. Atchafalpa 83 1/2. Baldwin Locomotive 116 1/2. Bethlehem Steel 11 3/4. Bethlehem Steel 11 3/4. Chesapeake & Ohio 54 1/2. Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 36 1/2. Corn Products 87. Coughlin Steel 28 1/2. General Motors 32 1/2. Great Northern Ore 61 1/2. Goodrich Company 75 1/2. International Paper 84 1/2. Kennecott Copper 41. Mexican Petroleum 200. New York Central 68 1/2. Norfolk & Western 53 1/2. Northern Pacific 76 1/2. Ohio Cities Gas 48. Pennsylvania 42 1/2. Republic 54 1/2. Republic & Steel 11 1/2. Sinclair Oil & Refs 43 1/2. Southern Pacific 100. Southern Railway 21 1/2. Standard Oil Corporation 101. Texas Co. 207. Tobacco Products 91. Union Pacific 122. United States Rubber 126 1/2. United States Steel 106 1/2. Utah Copper 75 1/2. Westinghouse Electric 53 1/2. Wills-Overland 25 1/2.

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SHIPS STUCK IN ICE OUT IN LAKE

Six Men Trying To Reach Ships Are Missing

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Six men who tried to reach the steamer Sidney O. Neff, stuck in the ice four miles out in Lake Michigan, were unaccounted for today and the Goodrich Transit Company's tugboat Alabama, carrying a crew of 50, was fast in the ice banks six miles out.

For the first time in a week, however, the wind today had shifted to off-shore and it was hoped ice breaking tugs could release the small Neff with its crew of eight tomorrow. It was believed the shifting ice would permit the Alabama to crush her way to port.

Captain O. T. Olson, skipper of the Neff, C. A. Anderson, a stowaway friend, and four members of the Neff's crew, Armand Strand, a wheelman, George Duncan, and Paulus Hansen, fishermen, and Conrad Carudoy, fireman, were the men reported missing today. The five men from the Neff, but were returning to the ship as the ice broke. The look-out at the four-mile mark reported that a careful watch all day yesterday failed to reveal the men nearing the ship, which lay within easy range of his glasses.

Rescue parties failed to find their trail in the snow.

OFFER REWARD TO SAVE SHIP

CHICAGO, N. S. Jan. 26.—The United States shipping board today offered a reward of \$150,000 to any vessel bringing in the disabled transport Powhattan, last reported adrift in a blinding storm 100 miles from this port. Eight vessels, today were either standing by or going to her assistance.

TO CALL 24 HOUR STRIKE
PAIDIS, Jan. 26.—(Havas)—The committee of the Federation of Port and Dock Workers, which met yesterday, decided to call a 24 hour strike at all Atlantic ports tomorrow, with a view to supporting strikers at the port of London, Britain.

SEVENTY PLANES DESTROYED
BERLIN.—Seventy airplanes destroyed in fire of unknown origin.

SENSATIONAL DEVELOPMENT IS EXPECTED

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 26.—Developments of a "sensational" nature were promised by members of the senate foreign relations sub-committee, of which Senator Moses, Republican of New Hampshire, is chairman, when the investigation of Bolshevik propaganda was resumed today.

Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, self-styled Russian soviet ambassador to the United States, who began his testimony last week, was the first witness to be called today. He will be followed by members of his "embassy" staff.

Particular interest was lent Martens' testimony because of his statement that he would testify to facts involving department of justice figures in radical activities.

POINCARRE TO DEVOTE TIME TO RECONSTRUCTION OF PROVINCE
PARIS, Jan. 26.—(Havas)—Raymond Poincarre, who will retire from the presidency of the republic on February 17, desires to devote himself entirely to the reconstruction of the department of the Meuse, which was a part of the battle zone, and for this reason will not accept a position in the government for three years, according to the Feilire.

HOLLAND PROTECTS EX-KAISER. BUT WATER MAY DRIVE HIM OUT



Although Holland has decided to protect ex-Kaiser Wilhelm by refusing to turn him over to the allies, nature is making things uncomfortable for the former ruler and may force him to move from castle. Recent floods have threatened his quiet retreat in Amerongen.

ened the castle and the picture, just received from Holland, shows the waters of the Rhine surrounding the Kaiser's hiding place.

World's Debt Estimated At Two Hundred Billion Dollars

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The world's debt was estimated by the National City Bank today at \$200,000,000,000, compared with \$10,000,000,000 in 1911. Paper currency throughout the world increased 600 percent since 1911, while the gold reserve behind it increased only 40 percent, according to statistics compiled by the bank. The face value of paper currency of 20 principal countries, which totalled \$125,000,000,000 in 1911, had increased to \$140,000,000,000 at the time of the armistice and to \$200,000,000,000 in December, 1919, exclusive of \$34,000,000,000 issued by the Russian soviet government.

Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria show an increase in note circulation from \$1,200,000,000 in 1914, to \$12,300,000,000 at the close of the war and \$18,770,000 in December, 1919, the gold reserve falling from \$500,000,000 in 1911, to \$327,000,000 in 1919, the ratio of gold to notes declining from 41.7 percent in 1914, to 21.5 percent in November, 1918, and 1.7 percent in December, 1919.

In the eight principal countries of the allies paper notes increased from \$1,040,000,000 in 1911, to \$2,420,000,000 in 1919, while the gold reserve increased from \$510,000,000 to \$1,450,000,000, a ratio of 44.3 in 1911, and 39.9 in 1919.

ABOLISHMENT OF "PAUPER SCHOOL" IS PLANNED

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 26.—Definite plans for financing the common school system of Ohio in order to guarantee every child equal opportunities for an education and to abolish the so-called "pauper school" will be laid before the legislature this week.

Representative R. A. Beehan, majority leader in the house, announced today that the house would take the financial problem of the schools tomorrow evening, when the house would probably meet as a committee of the whole.

School authorities are united on the program of legislation so far as financing the schools is concerned, but are divided on the question of a tenure of office bill.

Cleveland and Cincinnati teachers are still insisting on the passage of the Wenzler tenure bill, which is held up in the senate committee in the senate. The legislative committee of the state teachers' association opposes this bill and is devoting its entire time to pushing the revenue measures.

The revenue bill provides:

1. A statewide school tax of one and seven-tenths mills, estimated to raise approximately \$17,000,000, or enough to pay 50 percent of the salaries of teachers.
2. A county educational fund provided for by a levy of one mill additional, the proceeds of which would be held in the counties.
3. Distribution of the combined state and county funds to the local school districts to be on the basis of \$200 to \$175 for each teacher necessary, and the rest according to aggregate days of school attendance.

The remainder of the funds necessary in local districts to pay tuition expenses, together with contingent, building and sinking funds to be provided by local levies not to exceed three mills.

A graduated minimum salary schedule bill for teachers fixing the lowest salary at \$500 is to follow the revenue bill.

Both the senate and house are to meet at 5 o'clock this evening. An effort will be made to complete the taxation program this week and then recess until April.

SUICIDES ARE ON INCREASE

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Since the signing of the armistice there has been a constantly increasing number of suicides every where, according to a report issued today by the Save-the-Life League.

In Germany, Russia, Syria and other foreign countries, where the number has been very large, the cause is attributed to despair because of miserable living conditions brought about by the war.

The report tallies 5121 cases of suicide in the United States during 1919. Of the professions lawyers led the list with 43, of whom 12 were judges; 25 victims were physicians, 25 teachers and 11 clergymen. The list included 20 presidents of large business concerns and 20 prominent club members, millionaires and wealthy society women. Unhappy marital relations were responsible for 250 tragedies.

Men outnumbered women 2687 to 1677, but of the child suicides 232 were girls and 225 boys. Newspaper editors appeared to be immune.

TWO HOUR BATTLE
LIMERICK, IRELAND.—Eight constables exchanged shots for two hours with armed mob of 40 men who attempted to bomb building.

OPPOSE RETURN OF BODIES
NEW YORK.—National council of administration of veterans of foreign wars passed resolution against return to America of bodies of soldier dead.

Baker Gets Harbor Report

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—The report of the commission headed by Major General Harbord, which made a thorough investigation at first hand and by personal inspection of the conditions in Armenia, has been transmitted by Secretary Baker to the state department and is now awaiting the pleasure of President Wilson. It was said today. Nothing has been given out officially of the contents of the report which is believed to deal entirely with actual conditions in Armenia as the basis for decision of the question as to the propriety and wisdom of the assumption by the United States of a mandate over that country, without making any recommendations of policy.

Sees Out Of Doors For The First Time

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Harriet Sears, a 15 year old cripple, saw the big out of doors for the first time today when she was taken from the hospital to St. Charles hospital for crippled children, where specialists will treat her and nurse will seek to train her undeveloped mind.

Harriet's parents admitted to welfare workers, who found the girl that they had never permitted her to leave her room during the 15 years of her life. They thought it would be best for her to remain constantly indoors they said.

Physicians say the girl appears to be bright, although her education has progressed only so far as counting to six and saying the first four letters of the "A B C's."

ON TRIAL FOR SLAYING WAR VETERANS ON PARADE

MONTESANO, WASH., Jan. 26.—A regular cadre of 50 men and a special cadre of 200 today had been summoned for the opening of the trial of 11 W. W. charged with murder in connection with the shooting to death of four former soldiers at Centralia, Washington, on Armistice day. The defense counsel had announced, however, that a second request for a change of venue would be made. The trial was transferred to Montesano, seat of the Grant Harbor county, from Lewis county, where the shooting occurred. Defense counsel then, as now, charged sentiment against the defendants would deprive them of a fair trial.

It has been estimated that 10 weeks will be necessary for the trial. The prosecution has a list of more than 200 witnesses and the defense is said to plan to present fully 100.

Ten defendants are charged specifically with the murder of Lieutenant Warren G. Grimm. They are: Elmer Smith, D. C. Blund, Port Foulkner, Ray Becker, James McInerney, Loren Roberts, Eugene Barnett, Mike Sheehan, John Lamb and Bert Ward.

John Doe Davis and Ole Hanson also were named in the information, but have not been apprehended.

The "eleventh man," Elmer Smith, Centralia attorney, is charged with being an accessory before the fact in that he is alleged to have "procured, aided, assisted, conspired, incited, commanded and abetted" the others in the alleged conspiracy to shoot the former service men as they marched in a parade.

COMPOSE NEW WAR COUNCIL

PARIS, Jan. 26.—Marshals Foch, Joffre and Petain and Major General Daud, chief of staff, make up the new French supreme war council, according to an announcement. Nine generals will be chosen later to act on the council, which will be under the presidency of the minister of war.

Marshal Petain will be vice president and commander in chief of the French armies in time of war.

REDS CLAIM CAPTURE OF MANY TOWNS

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The capture of Percep, 10 miles southwest of Kleron, in Southern Russia, is reported in a wireless message sent out by the soviet authorities at Moscow.

A British war office announcement of January 22, said that on the Crimean front, the Bolsheviks were approaching Percep, Esthames and Changar. Percep is situated on an isthmus at the head of the Gulf of Percep.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—Heavy fighting at Kleron, 50 miles northeast of Kleron, is reported in a Bolshevik communication received here today. While further to the east the reds claim to have occupied the left bank of the Sal river in the Kontantinsk-Kala region.

Bolshevik cavalry is reported to have made a dash attack which resulted in the capture of Alexandrovsky, Nikolovskiy and Orlovka, with many prisoners and much booty.

John, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William West of John street has recovered from an attack of scarlet fever.

OPENING STOCKS

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Last week's final rally in presidential industries, principally steel and equipment, was not resumed at the dull and uncertain opening of today's stock market, for their bearings among the motor issues acting as a deterrent. Initial advances of a point in Crucible Steel and Worthington Pump were offset by a 2 1/2 point decline in General Motors. Moderate reactions were the rule in oils, shippings, coppers, and rubbers. Most gains were forfeited within the first half hour.

Icebergs Appear In Ship Lanes

BOSTON, Jan. 26.—Icebergs are being towed into the Atlantic Ocean ship lanes. Their appearance, which is later than in other years, was reported by the Danish freighter Arkan, six 31 days out from Copenhagen, which docked today. The Arkan was confronted heavy fields of ice off New Foundland, which forced her to turn out of her course.

WEATHER

OHIO.—Cloudy and probably snow or rain late tonight or Tuesday. Warmer tonight. Warmer Tuesday in east and south portion.

WILL ATTEMPT TO RESCUE WIFE.
NEW YORK.—Asdour Dabechian, an Armenian, arranged passage for Turkey where he will attempt to rescue his wife from a harem, where she has been held for nine years.

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COMPROMISE NEGOTIATIONS RESUMED BY BOTH PARTIES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Fate of the negotiations for a compromise in the senate peace treaty deadlock hinged on today's meeting of the bipartisan committee, composed of five Democrats and four Republicans, who have been holding a series of informal conferences in an effort to adjust differences between the foes and friends of the pact.

Senator Lodge, Republican leader, who spent the week end in consultation with his colleagues, had ready an announcement as to the limit the "strong" reservationists in his party would go in compromising with the Democrats on the so-called Lodge reservations, the basis of the bipartisan conferences.

Before the meeting there was no indication as to what concessions the Republicans were willing to make but it was said the Democrats would be told that no change involving the principle of the two principal reservations at issue would be permitted. Any change in these Article 10 of the League of Nations and that dealing with the right power in the league, it was said the Democrats would be told, must be confined to language only.

The position Senator Lodge assumed was said to have the approval of a majority of the Republican membership in the senate, including Senator Johnson, California and Birch of Idaho, as well as others of the group who have opposed any modification of the reservations, which the Democrats at the last session declined to accept.

After the Republican leaders state his stand, the next move will be up to the Democrats. There was no indication as to how they would receive the offer. Senator Hittchcock, Nebraska, leader of the administration forces, said he was hopeful but not confident of the outcome of the meeting today.

Should the Democrats refuse to accept the Republican proposals as a basis of an agreement it was believed in some quarters that further committee conferences would be called off, although the final break might not come for several days.

Arcana Today—Hoot Gibson With Josephine Hall In The Special Feature Drama "The Double Hold-Up" "Charlie Gets A Job" 2 Part Rainbow Comedy

NATIONAL LEAGUE PITCHERS SHOWED HEELS TO BOXMEN OF AMERICAN LEAGUE

The records of the major league pitchers for the season of 1919 show that the National League pitchers were more successful in outwitting batters than were the hurlers of the American league. The hitting in the American league was heavier and the managers were forced to change pitchers in championship games more often than were the leaders in John Heydler's organization. In the National league only one pitcher, Lee Meadows, pitched in every game, but in the American league, no less than eight pitchers broke into at least forty box scores and two of the eight worked in forty-four games.

Those who performed often in the American league were Shaw of the Senators, who pitched in forty-four games; Russell of the Yankees and later of the Red Sox, who like Shaw, pitched in forty-four games; Connolly of Cleveland, forty-three games; Klauer of Philadelphia, forty-three; Williams of the White Sox and Shewey of the Yankees, each forty-one games; Clemens of the White Sox and Rotherham of the Browns, who each broke into forty-one contests.

Although Shaw and Russell appeared in more games than any other hurler, neither was the most successful pitcher in the league. The best in the trial of the circuit was Eddie Cicotte, who in his forty games pitched a total of 267 frames. Shaw batted 228 innings and Russell 211. The same is true in the National league. Meadows pitched in twenty-two games as a member of the Cardinals pitching staff, and when he went to Philadelphia appeared in sixteen games before the season closed. In these sixteen he batted 251 innings, but several pitchers who did not take part in as many games as he did pitched more frames. Van Lue of the Cubs took part in thirty-eight contests and pitched more frames than any other National hurler. He was on the staff for 207 rounds, the same number pitched by the American league's best man of the year.

Incidentally Cicotte and Vaughn, the overline performers in their respective leagues, each are rated second on the list. The Cubs' outliner, however, has an edge in the star of the White Sox in the number of earned runs allowed in a season-long contest. Vaughn was twenty-one games and was charged with fourteen defeats, and in the 207 rounds he pitched he was struck for a total of 104 hits. He struck out 141 batters and walked 61. Cicotte, while he pitched more frames for 226 hits, struck out 120 men and passed forty-nine. Sixty-one runs were earned off the member of the Cubs and sixty-two earned tallies were recorded off Cicotte's pitching.

WILL KEEP EYE ON ONE BIG UNION MEETING

WINNIPEG, Man.—The attitude of the provincial and Dominion governments toward the semi-annual convention of the One Big Union, of Canada, to be held here Jan. 26, is attracting attention throughout the Dominion.

In its call for the convention, issued at Vancouver, the recent conviction of R. B. Bennett, leader of the Winnipeg general strike, was omitted and that call stated "It is necessary for working classes to show the government that a movement necessary to the welfare of the workers cannot be destroyed by placing the leaders in jail."

Although the One Big Union, composed of the extreme radicals of Canada's labor forces, has lost considerable prestige and membership since last summer, it is understood that government officials will have agents closely in touch with the doings of the O. B. U. delegates.

Leaders of the general strike in Winnipeg last summer were leaders of the One Big Union movement. The leading labor federations of Canada and the United States repudiated the O. B. U.; government officials assailed it and a number of the Winnipeg unions severed connection with that body. Trial and conviction of R. B. Bennett, charged with conspiracy to commit sedition, was the first of several prosecutions instituted against Winnipeg strike leaders.

The local street car situation may be affected by the O. B. U. convention. One faction of the union street car employees has voted to break away from the International, while the other faction has refused to become affiliated with the One Big Union element. It has been claimed that the union laborers throughout the Dominion condemn the harboring of the O. B. U. membership.

NORWAY HAS NEW ATHLETIC MARVEL

Norway has her King Helge Lovland as the new Jim Thorpe. Thorpe is an all-around athlete. Thorpe, it will be recalled, won the all-around championship at the Olympic games in Stockholm over years ago. Lovland, who is 4100 pounds in the last Norwegian competition and is one of the best long jumpers in the country, is a marvel.



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ELLER HOLDING OUT FOR \$10,000

Now comes the story that Ellor will not ink his Cincinnati contract unless the figures on it

are boosted to \$10,000. Ellor says he is worth it and will get it or he will continue to

sell automobiles in Danville, Ill. So there!

ASHLAND HAS \$60,000 BLAZE

Fire finally did damage estimated at \$60,000 to the A. C. & I. furnace at Ashland, Ky.

A slip in a boiler is said to have caused an explosion resulting in the

blaze. Firemen controlled the fire after a hard fight. The loss is reported to be fully covered by insurance, and no personal injuries are reported.

The A. C. & I. furnace is one of the oldest and most substantial of Ashland's industries. It is supposed the plant will be rebuilt at once.

TO NAME NEW COMMISSION CHAIRMAN

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—On his return from the west today John Heydler, president of the National league, announced that the baseball meetings of the National league will be held next month.

A meeting of the joint rules com-

mittee has been called for Feb. 9. On Feb. 10 the National and American league will hold their respective league meetings. On Feb. 10 the National and American leagues will hold their joint meetings, and Feb. 12 the major league committee, which began

to enter into a new working agreement with the majors. Heydler said he believed a new commission chairman will be named at the joint meetings.

Yankees Dissatisfied

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—That virtually the entire New York American team is dissatisfied with contracts sent out last December was admitted today by Col. T. L. Huston, vice president

of the Yankees, and Miller Huggins, manager of the team. Contracts were sent to the New York players on December 25 last and so far not one of them has been returned signed.

Scout Gets Verdict From The Phillies

Relative to Scout Doyle's suit against the Philadelphia National, the Philadelphia North American yesterday said:

A jury in Judge Shoemaker's court awarded William T. Doyle, of Portsmouth, O., former scout for the Phillies, a verdict of \$500 and interest against the Philadelphia National club. Doyle, who was a scout for the Phillies, was charged with the use of the methods used by the Phillies in their quest to get a strong team.

It also heard how three very desirable players recommended by Doyle to the Phillies went to rival clubs because President Baker wouldn't spend the money. These players were Dick Kerr, the White Sox left-hander, who led the Reds in the world's series, and Outfielder Southworth, of Pittsburgh, and Melchior of the Cardinals. These players would have become Phils had President Baker spent, but President Baker refused, and they went to rival teams. Kerr went to the White Sox, Southworth to Pittsburgh and Melchior to the St. Louis Nationals.

Doyle's suit was based on his discharge as a scout of the club on September 1, 1919, when baseball was stopped by the agreement of the leagues to stay the "work-or-fight" order. He said that in the spring he had a talk with President Baker in

which the latter agreed to keep him for the entire year of 1919, no matter what war might do to the game. He told Doyle to draw up his own contract, which he did, and signed.

Nevertheless, Doyle was discharged on September 1, and his suit was to collect salary from that date to December 31, 1919. In the trial yesterday President Baker endeavored to prove that Doyle was incompetent, and his services had not been satisfactory, but the charge reacted on him very violently.

In answer to this, Doyle, thru his attorney, Joseph M. Smith, produced letters and telegrams where he had recommended Billy Southworth, the star Pittsburgh outfielder, Austin M. Henry, a youth who has made good for the Cardinals, and Dick Kerr, of the White Sox, to President Baker.

He then read a communication from President Baker in which he declared that he would not pay any money for Southworth, Melchior and Kerr, but told Doyle to sell, as the minor leagues might go to the wall, and he would get the players for nothing. Judge Shoemaker ordered the jury to return a verdict in favor of Doyle because the war and strike order didn't nullify his contract.

Doyle came here for the trial. He is one of the best scouts in the country.

SHADES OF THE HEAVYWEIGHTS OF OLD. HERE'S LATEST PHOTO OF JACK DEMPSEY



Jack Dempsey with Rosemary Theby, at left, and Ruth Roland, movie stars.

Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight boxing champ, is well established in the movie colony at Los Angeles. This photo of the champ, sent by the people producing the serial in which Dempsey is starring, shows Dempsey as a full-fledged movie star.

The press agent says: "Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, took time off the other day from the making of his Pathe serial 'Daredevil Jack' to entertain two noted and beautiful visitors. They were Ruth Roland, also a Pathe serial star, and Rosemary Theby, another screen celebrity. Jack took Ruth and Rosemary out into the garden of his Los Angeles home and showed them the flowers. Then he demonstrated the fact that a champion's arms are just as powerful as they're popularly supposed to be."

Middle Name "Liberality"

No doubt the announcement made by Mr. Stenochan of the New York Giants that all of his players deserve a raise and would receive the same when contracts go out made a bit with club owners like Charles Fiske and Barney Dreyfuss, whose middle name is "Liberality."

CUTS HEART BAIN IN HALF

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 26.—Judge W. S. Anderson today refused a new trial in the breach of promise case brought by Miss Leola Worthen, daughter of New York City, against Joseph Fiske, of Youngstown, but he cut the jury's award of \$20,000 to \$10,000.

DO YOU KNOW

That it took 85 years to develop the first 2110 tractor and the first Model 8, 2089. Now that many and more new 2110 tractors are marked each year, the 1919 crop having been right around 100.

LYE SENTENCE FOR BURGLARY. YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 26.—Arthur Harris and George Smith, negroes, confined to burglary and were sentenced to life imprisonment today by Judge W. R. Anderson. Police caught the men hiding under a bed in a residence here.

NEBRASKA

GOVERNMENT SUCCESSFUL

LINCOLN, Neb.—Operation of Nebraska's civil administrative code law under which the state's form of civil administrative government organized through the creation of six main departments which took the place of numerous boards and commissions, is proving highly successful, according to a report by Governor Samuel R. McKelvie.

The new system, similar to that adopted in Illinois several years ago, has been in operation for six months on the first day of the year, and according to the governor had functioned even better than had been anticipated by its supporters. Under the law the six administrative divisions are the departments of Finance, Agriculture, Labor, Trade and Commerce, Public Works, and Public Welfare, each with a secretary at its head.

"The purpose of the act," says the governor's report, "was to eliminate the numerous boards and commissions and establish a responsible form of administrative government through which the acts of public officials could be traced to a definite point for accountability. After having been in effect for six months it is possible to show figures through which a definite saving of \$40,428.48 has been effected in operating expense."

GENEROSITY NEARLY WIPED OUT THE TRIBE

CORODOVA, Alaska.—A play, a dance and a feast, wending up the season of plenty, was responsible for the near extermination of one Quiglinghook tribe of natives last winter and spring, according to John H. Kilbuck, superintendent of schools for the Kuskokwim river district. The famine following the feast, Mr. Kilbuck said in his annual report to the Bureau of Education, caused the deaths of at least 42 of the natives, and would have wiped out the entire clan had not missionaries come to the rescue with a meagre supply of food.

The tribe, Mr. Kilbuck said, stored up great quantities of fish during the summer and fall seasons. In celebration of their good fortune, they invited other tribes to attend a "kumagayag," featured by a play, a "white man's dance" and the giving away of food. When it was all over, the guests were indifferent in the currency of the section, while the hosts were penniless. It will be years, Mr. Kilbuck declared, before the Quiglinghooks recover from the effects of their generosity.

HIGH OFFICERS AS GUESTS

LEAVENWORTH, KANS.—With the visit here January 9 of General John J. Pershing, every officer of high rank in the United States Army with the exception of General Washington has been the guest of Fort Leavenworth. General Sherman came here in 1912. General Grant the same year while General Sheridan was commandant at the fort in 1868 and 1869.

Old residents of Leavenworth remember General Sherman as the man who "let the army look anybody's word." They recall the story told by an officer who started from the Indian Territory for Fort Leavenworth with eight horses and upon his arrival here reported that four had died during the journey from the West. General Sherman, the story goes, started back over the under officer's trail with four horses, seeking the missing animals. Two of the general's horses died on the trail, and the general was left with two. The Leavenworth police blotter carries the name of General Sheridan. During the time he was commandant of the post here, he was fined \$25 for racing his two horses up and down the city's main street.

PERRY ANTE



Luque Signs Contract

COAST PLAYER SIGNED BY BROOKLYN. STARTS WORKING OUT IN FIGHT GYM



Rowdy Elliott working at the pulley, with Kid Parker a trainer, keeping time on him.

Evidently Rowdy Elliott, Pacific coast player, has heard that the Brooklyn Dodgers are a very scrappy outfit for he is busy training for a tryout with them by unlimbering in a fight commission on the coast under a trainer. Elliott is a catcher.

Bridwell Was Candidate

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 26.—Season of 1918. But he was unable to support the Milwaukee club of the American Association are rejoicing in the appointment of Jack Egan, of Providence, R. I., as manager of the club for the 1920 campaign. Manager Egan will begin his duties in Chicago on February 9, when the club owners meet to adopt a schedule.

Egan, a former umpire in the American Association, was manager of the Milwaukee club during the war-time; had applied for the position.

Wants 3 Year Contract

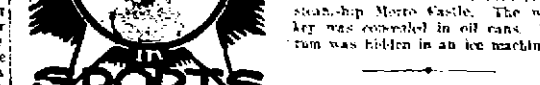
Walter Roster, star outfielder of four years and he feels that he the Reds is holding out for a three year contract. He says his work last

Plan For Labor Day Race

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 26.—The Cincinnati Speedway Association has retained sanction of the American Automobile association for a car race, to be held at Shreveville on Labor Day, according to an official of the speedway.

DISCOVER SNUGGLED LIQUOR

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—An attempt to smuggle liquor from Havana was frustrated today when customs inspectors seized 22 bottles of rum in the hold of the steamship Monte Castle. The whiskey was concealed in oil cans. The rum was hidden in an ice machine.



Emer Smith

The slugging outfielder of the Cleveland Indians.

Cork trees grow in Saratoga. A tree is stripped of its bark only once in five years.

The Guy With The Firer



Bill Hyman

The amazing number who has decided to quit the big league diamond.

BRIDDY SIGNS

ROCKY MOUNTAINS, N. C., Jan. 26.—Al Bridwell, of Portsmouth, Ohio, has been signed to manage the local club of the Virginia league this season. It was announced today. Bridwell, formerly an infielder on the New York Giants, managed the Houston club of the Texas league last year.

May Fight In London

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 26.—Arrangements have practically been closed for a return boxing match between Jimmy White, flyweight champion of England, and Jack Sharkey, New York bantam, the fight to take place in London, probably in May. Dave Hughes, brother of White, announced today. Sharkey was given a newspaper decision over White in the recent meeting in Milwaukee.

Williams To Stick

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., Jan. 26.—Dr. H. L. Williams, football coach of the University of Minnesota for the last 20 years, has been placed under contract for three more years.

Doyle Met Kid Gleason

While in Philadelphia looking after his damage suit against that team Scout Billy Doyle met Kid Gleason, manager of the White Sox.

"Gleason stated that the White Sox would repeat in the American league and if Williams, Kerr and Glavin pitched the same brand of ball as they did last year, I believe they will," Doyle said last night.

Bridwell To Get Players

Scout Billy Doyle stated Monday that the Detroit team would turn over several players to Al Bridwell, new manager of the Rocky Mount, N. C., team. "Bridwell secured a fine contract with this club and will make good, down there," Scout Doyle said last night.

Gullum To Resign

COLUMBUS, Jan. 26.—At the end of the present school year Frank Gullum will retire as athletic director at Ohio University and that institution is now on the lookout for his successor. The position was offered to Grant P. Ward, line coach at the Ohio State, but he declined the position.

Gullum went to Ohio University from East High, where he had spent success in football, basketball and baseball. It is understood that, starting next fall, he will be in charge of the department of chemistry at Ohio University and will devote his entire time to that work.

Nessler To Meet Haley

CINCINNATI, Jan. 26.—Frank Nessler, who meets Danny Haley on February 4 before the Loyal Order of Moose, was last night watched to meet Jimmy Dalton on Monday night at Richmond, Ind. After this contest Nessler will go in training for his meeting with Haley. Nessler weighs a 1700 pounder for weight, which is 150 pounds at 3 o'clock.

We Pass On This Job

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Jan. 26.—T. A. D. Jones, who will be head ball coach at Yale next fall, will refuse to salary it was announced today. He is lured by his employer at Seattle, Washington, who is 140 men, with full salary paid. The association will pay the expenses of Mr. Jones.

PROMINENT GEOLOGIST

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 26.—William H. McGinnis, aged 72, well known for research work in geology and mineralogy, is dead at his home here. Many specimens discovered by him are in Ohio's scientific institutions and the Smithsonian institute, Washington. Perhaps his most notable discovery was the fossil of a new species, now in the Ohio State University.

SIX CANDIDATES WILL GET DEGREE

Macdonald Lodge Knights of Pythias will have a 142 convention this evening when six candidates will be given the second degree or Esquire rank.

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EXTEND THE HELPING HAND

BELGIUM wishes to borrow money of the United States; so does quite every other nation.

Let it be understood this means that many governments wish loans from this government, an entirely different proposition from issuing bonds and offering them for sale to and through the financial agencies of the country.

The American government has had experience with borrowers of various continents. It has not been a happy one, nor conducive to further adventures along that line, since none have paid even so much as the accrued interest, to say nothing of the principal. Conservative prudence would dictate that no more gold money be sent the way of the first.

Overriding, however, all sense of conservatism, or prudence, is the request of Belgium. What we are today we owe to that little nation, her wisdom and her bravery. The Kaiser did not declare war upon her. He came with fair pretext and solemn promise of peace. Belgium though was neither to be deceived nor dismayed. Gallantly, she said, "Thou shalt not pass over to France and into dominion of the earth, except through the ruins of this nation!" And thus the Kaiser did pass. He leveled her beautiful cities and lovely towns and devastated her ripening fields and laid waste her beautiful lands. Rape and oppression reigned in the place of peace and order. Her faithful sons were slain, or else driven into prison. Her daughters were deported and made slaves. Her places of learning were pillaged and burned. Her temples, the most wonderful that man had ever raised in honor of a God of peace, mercy and honor, were defiled and plundered, even the bells and the sacred vestures were stolen. All this, and more than tongue will ever be able to tell, Belgium suffered. But she suffered not in vain. She, for all the blood she gave and all the suffering she so superbly gave and endured, could not drive back the ruthless foe, but she did hold him up long enough to give a few days of mortal consequence to the world, when every moment was fraught with the fate of nations, for France to mobilize and for England to hurry forward a handful of men—let us divert here long enough to say, that never until that day had the thousands of wars the generations fought through seen such men and soldiers in battle array as that handful, unarmed, almost, with no means to kill, they never turned their back, and by the sheafest force of indomitable will, they slowed up the Hun hordes, the best equipped that were ever placed in the field.

That was what Belgium paid, paid for you and I and all of us. Had she not paid unhesitatingly and unquestioningly, the Elysee in Paris, Windsor Castle in London, and the White House in Washington itself, might in grave likelihood, have echoed ere this to the clanking heels of the all-conquering Kaiser.

So let Belgium have what she needs. The worth of a few paltry dollars is as nothing against the blood shed for right and the freedom of manhood, the blood that was the first price in the winning of both.

See us swell. One of the biggest papers in the country has just offered to take off our hands all the excess paper we have on hand. But we haven't any excess and like the core to the school boy's apple, it looks like "there ain't never going to be none."

Down in Hayti the United States marines are maintaining a jail that is so superior in appointments and "feed" to anything the land knows, that they are having all sorts of trouble keeping the natives from breaking in and becoming voluntary prisoners.

Rose Pastor Stokes has been indicted by a Chicago grand jury for crimes against the government. She is a millionaire's wife and dearly craves notoriety and excitement. She will now, probably, get all she wants.

Notice these fellows, that are busy talking about breaking up the government are most quick and generous in pleading their "constitutional rights" when the heavy hand of the law is laid upon them. But how can there be a constitution without a government?

No it isn't bearding the lion in his den for the democrats to take their convention "way off yonder to California, the home of H. Johnson"—it's just plain damphoolishness.

Mr. Uhl Injured In Fall

Henry Uhl of 419 Sinton street fell on an ice covered sidewalk on Galloway near Bond Sunday morning and suffered a dislocation of the right elbow. He went to the office of Dr. A. H. Moore, an X-ray being taken to determine if the elbow was fractured. The X-ray showed only a dislocation. The X-ray showed only a dislocation.

SEE MARRIED AVERAGE MAN

"Athens, I have left Jim—or rather men. My old man is a dreamer, as he has left me. We're separated. Impractical soul who had to be left alone a lot in order not to ruin the Everything's smashed."

Today was the first chance I have had to tell my friend of our trouble. You know, I was married to a man. She looked at me with an expression as in ordinary married life, for I have never seen on her face before. It was as if for the first time in our long, close friendship Athens doubted me, doubted my sincerity, the justice of my cause. But she is deeply worried over her granddaddy's illness and has been sleepless for nights. That has something to do with her. I hope I mean? She ripped out, sharply, not as a question, but as a reproach.

"Just that, Athens. Is it so astounding? I had a sudden revelation of feeling about going up to that horrible hole in the country to live. I felt I just couldn't! It would have driven me crazy. Athens, you ought to understand. . . . Say something. Don't stare at me as if I had committed murder."

"I hope you haven't," she said, slowly. "But I'm afraid you have. Selfishness, my dear, is not only murderous but suicidal."

"Selfishness?" I almost screamed at the word. Jim's use of it has haunted me all these days. "Why don't you call Jim selfish?"

"Give me all the blame? Why should I bury myself in that mudhole bound along and chattering gracefully as a condoling change. If in these first years of your marriage you made yourself and John Hest live away from each other half your married life. You have your interests; he has his. You don't call yourself selfish."

"Listen, child," said Athens, quietly. "John Hest is a very different type of man from your Jim. You cannot use the same method with all."

(To be continued)

New-York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. MCINTYRE

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—A page from the diary of a modern Fanny Pepper: Up bedtime and on foot to have my hair washed and then to my old school fellow for a private talk, and so frank and naive that we did weep, he being of fine courage and fortitude. To a wash-house where I breakfasted on what and crackers and had de Silva, the lyric writer, came, complaining of the cologne.

To a tavern to meet my wife and Miss Ivy Troutman and Anne Winsor, too, and all very merry, and an oldish man nearby did say in his companion in his hearing, looking at my wife. Do you not think the lady of great beauty? Which made me mighty proud. A tall lady came into the place wearing sandals and smoking a cigarette through a long holder, and the serving man said she was of a foreign nation.

To the shops and I did slip away to buy my wife a bottle of perfume, not asking the price until it was wrapped, and—Lord! It was three pounds, albeit I paid it and gave it to her with good grace, though secretly regretful. Great talk that Mr. Munsey has bought the Bennett journals and the wonder over what he will do, making the govt. quite jumpy.

All the late afternoon going over my papers, which are in a bad way, and I can find nothing so good, and in despair I read Mr. Oppenheimer's latest tale, a foolish mystery.

In the evening to F. T. A.'s dinner and in high humor over Deems Taylor doing an entire melodrama by himself with the aid of six bats and R. W. Verneburg sang an illustrated song and the slithers of no connection, very comical. In especial where he sang of his ivy-covered little cottage, and they

showed the Woolworth Tower. Gelett Burgess, too, and Robert Benchley most amusing and Rupert Hughes moving picture an amusing touch. Home and Heaven forgive me, without prayers to bed.

Isaac Maroon used to be a reporter on a Louisville newspaper before he went into magazine work. The other night at the Players the subject of delightful frankness came up. And Maroon told of Colonel Watterson's lecture on "Money and Morals" in Louisville. Col. Watterson's first words were: "I am going to talk to you about money and morals. I am well equipped for I have neither." All of which reminds one of E. W. Howe's ending his chapter on "Women" with: "Finally I am sorry I brought up the subject. I know nothing about it."

It is astonishing the way crowds are flocking to the Park Theatre in Columbus Circle to attend the season of Gilbert and Sullivan. It has always been supposed that New Yorkers who go to theatres like melodrama, burlesque, rude wit, swift, glittering jazz music, sleek, soft sentimental songs, myriads of graceful girls festooned across the stage, and a profusion of costly costumes.

But there are other tastes just as appealing. Gilbert and Sullivan are cleverly satirical, lightly ironical, innately tuneful and dashing, but their joint product is quite hopelessly Victorian. It does not fit this age of slinking, jerking jazz. As for tunes, New Yorkers seem tired of sweet melodies that can be bumped. They like robust music and breathe in the dissonant melancholy of the "blues" with their extraordinary dissonances.

and weird associations as if they were songs of childhood.

Still Gilbert and Sullivan hold their own. Dramatic critics are trying to explain why "Iolanthe" filled the theatre every night while a girl and music show with the featured stars had only half filled houses the same period. The seems more likely that Gilbert and Sullivan have joined the immortals.

WHO'S WHO In The Days News

ROMER S. CUMMINGS

Romer S. Cummings, chairman of the Democratic national committee, and Richard Carle, the actor, would pass very well for twin brothers. They are not far apart in ages. Mr. Cummings being the elder by a year. The physical resemblance is strong. Cummings is not only as to head and face, but as to height and build. Mr. Cummings is quite bald, wears blue glasses, has an abundant supply of freckles, and can be amusing without cracking a smile, all of which things are characteristic of Mr. Carle. Mr. Cummings also possesses a fluency of speech somewhat similar to that of the actor.

All this is by way of enabling people who have never seen the Democratic chairman to form a fairly good picture of him, assuming that they have seen Mr. Carle at some time or other, which is probable.

Cummings rarely resists the temptation to draw upon wit and satire when he speaks of the Republican party. The particular object of his shafts at this time is the offer of \$100,000 in prizes for Republicans under the age of twenty-five who submit the best platform suggestions. None but the adolescents, says Cummings, would undertake the task of trying to write a Republican platform. He holds that it will require all the daring and independence of youth to take away with the job. As for Republican efforts to reach a set of policies in congress, according to Cummings, "they resemble cerebral flickerings rather than mental processes."

He likes to have a little fun with the opposition and in that respect he is a very different person from Will H. Hays, the Republican national chairman. Hays is always serious. He does not joke about the Democrats. He may denounce them but it never occurs to him to turn the laugh against them. The two men are products of wholly different environments, although both were born in the middle west. Cummings' birthplace is Chicago, while Hays comes from the small town of Sullivan, Ind., where he still makes his home.

They entered politics at about the same time, although Cummings is nine years older than Hays. He will be fifty next April, but does not look it. Soon after he graduated in the law, Cummings went to Stamford, Conn., to begin practice, and he has lived there ever since. A little over twenty years ago he began to take an active interest in politics and in 1900 was elected mayor of Stamford. Just about the same time Hays was getting into politics in Indiana.

Cummings, who has been a conspicuous figure in Democratic politics in Connecticut for a long time, has been a candidate on several occasions for public office. He has run for congress and the United States Senate. In addition to having been mayor of his city, Hays has never been a candidate for office, although he has held all sorts of positions in the Republican organization, from precinct committeeman up to national chairman. Both men have made a success at the law and both are effective public speakers of widely different types. Cummings has more grace and finish, Hays a more decisive and earnest method.



H. S. CUMMINGS

BILLY WHISKER

BY FRANCES TREGO MONTGOMERY

The first thing Billy Whisker came to with his fore paws, and then to when he reached the suburb of the night began; first one was on top, city was a flower and fruit stand, the other, and they rolled over owner of which was talking to a fat and over into the mud of the street, bluecoated policeman. Both stood while a big crowd gathered, which with their backs turned to the fruit dealer and called out:



"Give it to him, butcher!" and all such expressions, until at last Billy got on his feet again, and with a parting look he left the butcher's coat on the back and left him lying in the mud, while he ran off as fast as his legs would carry him. And it is needless to say that none of that crowd tried to stop him.

(Tomorrow Billy meets a policeman.)

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A Golden Rule

I take no heed of my neighbor's bluffs or how he says his prayer. I grant him a white man's place on earth.

If his name is on the sign, if he plays it straight, I'll call him name. If he cheats, I'll cut him fat. All creeds but this are a worn-out lie. For each clean man is as good as I. And a king is no more than that.

—Rotary Magazine.

Abe Martin



Tie's lots of offices, within the gift of the people if you're got the price. Miss Tawney Apple says the shirmy originated in a cold hall.

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The Democratic chairman can see the light side as well as the grave side while his Republican antagonist always appears to see things only in their serious aspect.

Getting Out of a Tight Place

The editor's assistant burst into the boss' office, absolutely dropping the usual reverence shown when in the presence of the "old man."

"Annoyed ink pots," he yelled. "Here we've got a whole page account of Jimmie the murderer's execution, on the press, and now the folks been pardoned! Pulverizing pasterns, man! What are we to do?"

With a calm that can only be adopted by an occupant of the editorial chair, the editor eyed his worried assistant.

"There's nothing to be excited about," he remarked calmly. "Just put over the headlines in block letters: 'Jimmie pardoned! Sensational account and pictures of what he escaped!'"

Easy Life

"That man started life on \$50 he borrowed."

"And made a fortune, eh?"

"No, it ruined him. He found getting that so easy that he's been living on borrowed money ever since."

No Objection, Surely

A colonel who was a stern disciplinarian, gathered his officers about him and issued orders for the regiment's forthcoming train journey to the coast.

"I don't object to an innocent, good time on the men's part during this journey," he said, "but you will see to it that there's no swearing, no skylarking, no card playing, and as little cigarette smoking as possible."

"Pardon me, colonel," said a timid voice, "but would you object if I took along a little plain sewing to occupy my company and myself?"

How About The Taste

"You cannot judge by appearances in this life."

"You surely cannot," replied Uncle Bill Bottleneck. "Faintness, moonshine liquor mostly looks like pure crystal spring water."

Modernity

"How's this, daughter? You're painted Father Time with a mowing machine instead of a scythe."

"That's all right. We artists must keep up with modern inventive progress, you know."

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By Proboscis

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Ma Insists Upon A 50-50 Split



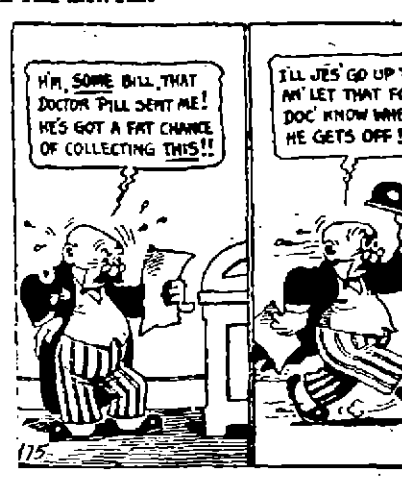
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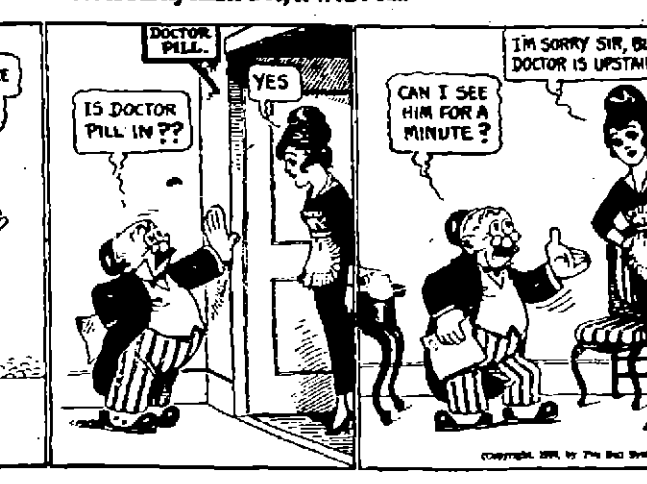
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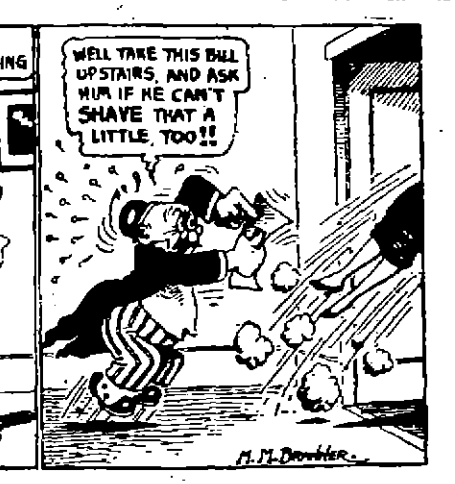
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